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## BY TELEGRAPH
TO THE UNITED PRESS.

SPECIAL WIRE TO THE NEWS.

### AN OCEAN SPRINTER.

#### Steamer St. Paul Promises to Break the Southampton Record.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Steamer St. Paul ended her voyage from Southampton at 2:27 o'clock this morning when she ran abreast of the Sandy Hook lightship, having made the passage from the Needles in six days, seventeen hours and fifty-one minutes. This time would have been considerably reduced and the ship would have reached port last night had not the air pump of the port engine broken down last Wednesday, necessitating the stoppage of that engine for twenty-one hours while repairs were being made. In spite of this accident the big steamer averaged 18.85 knots per hour during the whole trip. On several occasions she showed herself a splendid sprinter, and under favorable conditions made 21½ knots an hour.

Captain Jamison was interviewed at Quarantine this morning, and spoke in the most enthusiastic manner of the behavior of his ship. He said he would have beaten the Southampton record of six days, seven hours and fourteen minutes, held by his old ship the "New York," were it not for the slight derangement of the air pumps noted above, which rendered it prudent to stop the port engine for repairs. "It is in her to do it," he remarked, "and she will smash that record yet." Of course the breakdown was unfortunate, but it was not at all a serious one, and such things are to be expected in a new ship. Besides, the ship's bottom is very foul. She has never been dry docked and her bottom has never had a coating of anti-fouling paint.'

#### Mohammedan Discontent Not Likely to Result in Action.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—The Times publishes a Constantinople despatch, saying that a Mohammedan in a high position admits the existence of discontent among the Mohammedans, but says the probability of this developing into action is most remote, partly owing to the lack of leaders and partly through public feeling, which, although uniform, is not united. Every man distrusts his neighbor.

#### Continued Drought Causes Serious Loss in Ohio.

PORTSMOUTH, Ohio, Oct. 26.—The continued drought has caused serious loss throughout Scioto and adjoining counties. The tobacco crop is almost a total failure and fall wheat is in bad shape. Water sells at twenty-five cents a barrel at West Union and Wellston, and forty cents a barrel in Winchester. Cattle are being sold at the first price offered, owing to scarcity of feed, as the hay and corn crops have been almost a total failure in many localities.

#### Ammen Ram Katahdin Leaves Boston for New London.

BOSTON, Oct. 26.—The Ammen ram Katahdin left the navy yard at 5 o'clock this morning for New London, for her official speed trial on Long Island sound. She passed out by Boston light at 6:25 o'clock and by Highland light at 10 A. M.

#### Ill Treatment of Americans in the Congo State Denied.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—The Morning Post publishes a despatch from Brussels, stating that the officials of the Congo State say that Captain Lothaire, who executed the British trader Stokes, never commanded any Americans or Norwegians. He has not been in Boma for four years. These facts are held to dispose of the story lately told by Bradley regarding Captain Lothaire's treatment of certain white men who fell into his power.

### IGNORED THE LONG AND SHORT HAUL CLAUSE.

#### Western Roads Charged With Violation of the Inter-State Commerce Law.

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—All the prominent Western roads have been notified by the secretary of the inter-state commerce commission that action has been brought against them for alleged violation of the fourth section of the agreement of the inter-state commerce law, or, in other words, for ignoring the long and short haul clause on traffic to Colorado and Missouri river points. The roads are directed to file an answer within fourteen days. A meeting of the general officers and the attorneys of the various roads will probably be arranged in a short time, to secure uniformity of action.

### AGAIN AT WORK.

#### Safe Breakers Make Another Small Haul in Providence.

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 26.—Safe breakers began operations again in this city this morning, and succeeded in cracking a safe in Frank Taft's saloon, at the corner of Sprague and Dexter streets, in the Elmwood district. A hole half an inch in diameter was drilled at the top of the combination and the dial was rendered useless. No explosive was used. In the small steel chest inside $75 or more was found, and this the robbers secured. At 7:15 o'clock Andrew McCrohan, twenty-six years old, was arrested on suspicion and locked up at station 7, pending an investigation. The police have secured no evidence as yet.

### STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Off Kinsale, Oct. 25, Sagamore, from Boston.
Off Kinsale, Oct. 25, American, from Boston.
Gibraltar, Oct. 25, Priest Bismarck, from New York.
New York, Oct. 25, Georgia, from Stettin.
New York, Oct. 25, Rotterdam, from Rotterdam.
Boston, Oct. 25, Virginian, from London.
Queenstown, Oct. 25, Etruria, from New York.
New York, Oct. 26, St. Paul, from Southampton.
New York, Oct. 26, Umbria, from Liverpool.

#### Dominion Government Steamer Quadray Ashore.

VICTORIA, British Columbia, Oct. 26.—Dominion government steamer Quadray was reported ashore on Discovery island this morning. The steamer struck in a dense fog and her injury is thought to be serious. It is feared that she will become a wreck.

#### Archbishop Satolli to be Made a Cardinal.

PARIS, Oct. 26.—The Figaro asserts that Archbishop Satolli, papal delegate to the United States, will certainly be created a cardinal at the next consistory, which will be held at the end of November.

#### Western Mail from New England Destroyed.

HARRISBURG, Penn., Oct. 26.—The great bulk of mail matter destroyed by the burning of postal cars in the wreck near Newport Thursday was from the New England states, New York and Philadelphia, and was destined for Western states. There were not less than one hundred registered cases burned, and fifty thousand letters, to say nothing of newspapers and magazines.

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## MUNICIPAL POLITICS.

### The Situation Growing More Interesting in Providence and Pawtucket.

[Special correspondence of the News.]

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 25.—The reform movement in this city, which is expected to give the city a better government than it now possesses, is by no means on the wane. On the contrary, it is having a healthy growth, and showing from day to day that it has been begun to be carried through to a vigorous conclusion; and not to be allowed to become dull and finally die out for want of transition after the first keen edge of enthusiasm has been worn off.

The most marked expression of the feeling that has been aroused in the community and is growing stronger apparently every day was the big mass meeting held this week, at which some six hundred citizens of varying political faiths were gathered to take part in the new movement, and the assembly was such as has not been witnessed in this community for a long time. The meeting had been anticipated with eager interest, for it was expected that it would set in motion in an organized form such influences in the direction of good government as are widely recognized as greatly needed here and as are also recognized as especially timely and important just now.

The direct result of the gathering was the appointment of a committee by the chairman, which will select a larger and more representative one, to which will be committed the duty of choosing men for the positions soon to be filled in the city government who are known to be free from monopolistic and machine influences, and who can be depended upon to give to the city the best and wisest administration within their power. This work of selection is the vital labor that is to be done in connection with the movement for reform, for if the selections are not wisely and judiciously made, or if any mistakes and blunders are committed in this direction, the whole work of reform will be hindered, if not absolutely killed.

The Union for Practical Progress has decided to take some part in this movement after all, and a few days ago steps were taken for the holding of a meeting in the interests of the general object of the movement—good government and good citizenship. The gathering will not be held for a couple of weeks or so, but the organization has already by its action put itself on record as in favor of the movement, and the meeting will be held time enough to have some influence upon the campaign.

The old politicians say they never saw such confusion in city politics before, and that the result is so uncertain as to make prophecy a dangerous business. The entire city is interested in the situation and is eagerly awaiting the result. It is generally realized that the citizens who believe that the time has come for a change in the character of the city's representatives are men whose statements and candidates, when given to the public, as they soon will be, will carry great weight with them.

The key of the whole situation is in the First and Second wards. If there were a complete revolution in all the other eight and these two wards returned their present delegations, the conditions at the city hall would be but little changed. It is the representatives of these two wards in the city government who are especially opposed and criticised because of the manner in which they have managed the business of the city. A new delegation from these wards would make necessary a complete change in the composition of the committees of the city council, and that would mean that the most important departments of the city's business would be managed by different men.

The mayoralty situation is also decidedly mixed. There is a strong inclination toward the nomination of E. D. Bassett. This is favored by some of the independent element, and there is a strong probability that he would be endorsed by one or the other of the two parties. There are a goodly number of Democrats who would undoubtedly support him. Other Democrats prefer E. D. McGuinness, and the dissatisfaction in the Republican ranks does not appear to affect Mayor Olney so that he could not secure the nomination of his party for another term. Adjutant General Dyer has effectually quieted the Democratic talk of his candidacy by a decided refusal to accept a nomination. There are many other possible complications which only the conventions can straighten out and settle.

The party leaders are putting the machinery in motion for the holding of the caucuses and conventions, and those of the Republicans will begin this week. The Democrats will decide tonight when tickets will be held. The Prohibitionists are yet undecided what they will do in the campaign, but will come to a decision early next week. The colored people have helped to complicate matters for the Republicans by demanding for one of their number the office of harbor master.

In Pawtucket matters political are very warm. The endorsement of Mayor Tiepke by the Republicans has not been very pleasing to David J. White and his friends, and it is possible that Mr. White will run for the position on nomination papers. The Democrats were until this evening at sea as to whom to name for mayor. Ex-Governor Davis, General Olney Arnold and Thomas W. Robinson had all been suggested, and the first-named was finally decided upon, although he had until late refused to give his consent to his candidacy. Bad feeling was caused by the Republican council caucuses, and the city clerk has been almost overwhelmed with nomination papers. The Republicans also got into a tangle over the school committee, by not naming a woman as a candidate, as required by the law. Altogether it is a very lively campaign that Pawtucket is having.

In Woonsocket the mayoralty is seeking a man. The Republicans want Mayor Pothier to be a candidate again, but they have not yet succeeded in inducing him to consent. The Democrats are not saying much, but are watching the Republicans. There is still plenty of time for excitement there. The Christian Alliance has taken a hand in the fray by issuing a manifesto urging voters to support law enforcement candidates.

In Central Falls the day of the election is still so far distant and the interest is so small that nothing has been done of any moment even in the way of talking about candidates. The youngest city will have her turn in due time, however.

Newport is now happily out of the fight, having settled the matter of her city government for another year. The campaign seemed very tame compared with those in this city and Pawtucket, and if the result is no better here than it was down there, there will be a great many disappointed people in this one of the two capitals.

CRAWFORD.

#### Converted Catholic Clergyman Convinced of His Error.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 26.—Rev. Walter C. Clapp, who a year ago seceded from the Protestant Episcopal and joined the Roman Catholic church, has according to his own statement become convinced that he took a wrong step and has returned to the Anglican faith. At the time of Mr. Clapp's withdrawal from that church he was one of the professors in the Nashotah theological seminary, and his action in seceding caused a sensation. He is a graduate of Amherst and a man of high intellectual attainments.

#### Democratic National Committee Not to Meet Till January.

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—An Indianapolis special says: S. P. Shortridge, secretary of the Democratic national committee, said yesterday that he does not believe the committee will meet before the middle of January to fix the time and place of the national convention. He says a conference of the officers of the committee has not even been suggested.

#### Port au Prince in a State of Siege.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Oct. 26.—Advices from Port au Prince say that President Hippolyte of Hayti has declared the capital city in a state of siege.

#### Rhode Island Pensions.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—Increase—Michael O'Connell, Westerly. Restoration and reissue—William Tindall, deceased, Bristol. Original, widows—Elizabeth Tindall, Bristol.

### HALIBUT STEAKS.

An announcement of great interest, not only to the Gloucester fishermen themselves, but to those who love halibut steaks, was made a few days ago. It is that a new halibut bank has been discovered northeast of Newfoundland, said to be teeming with fish, vessels having no trouble in loading to the gunwales in two days' fishing. This industry was nearly ruined last winter, and the new find is a source of great encouragement to the men who have been fighting against hard luck for a long time. The bank is apparently extensive, and thus far there have been no choice spots developed, one part being as good as another. It costs about three and a half cents a pound to ship Pacific halibut east, and seven and a half cents is as low as it can be profitably sold for. The Atlantic halibut readily brings two cents a pound more on account of its superior quality, and Gloucester people are looking forward to a harvest from the new bank.

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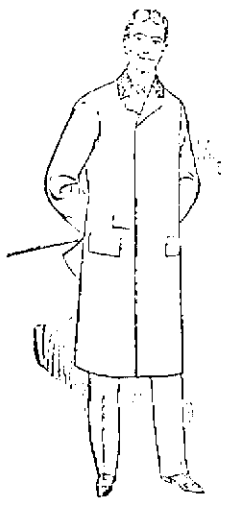
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The prices of rugs were never so low.

# This Morning's News.

## DEFENSE OF TERRELL.

### Stories of Neglect of Missionaries Pronounced False.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26. — Mr. Terrell, United States minister at Constantinople, yesterday sent the following cablegram to Senator Mills and Congressman Sayers:

The New York World publishes the charge that I have neglected missionary interests. Every American missionary in the city will state this to be false. Not one American missionary in Asia Minor has been injured during this terrible strife, though more numerous than those of all Europe.

To protect them against a two-fold danger I have remained for months, with leave of absence granted. The attack on my personal relations with the sultan deserves only contempt. They have not endangered the security of missionaries. Such attacks are inspired by secret societies of Armenians, whose method of assassination Rev. Dr. Hamlin exposed in The Independent of December, 1893.

**A Specimen Case.**

I have for months kept a Turkish guard to protect an American professor in a missionary college against threatened assassination by emissaries of the secret societies. They cannot understand and resent my observance of our established policy of non-intervention here.

I have never failed to rescue from prison every Armenian when arrested who bore an American passport. Among them were known revolutionists. To expose the assassins of reputation has become a duty.

For the misguided Armenian I have only pity, but the American journal that publishes a slander to impair the influence of its country's minister at a distant court will be rebuked by American patriotism and the American press, regardless of party.

**At General Pike's Grave.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—The supreme council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Masons made a pilgrimage to Oak Hill cemetery yesterday, and at the grave of the late General Albert Pike inaugurated services which are to be observed in each triennial session of the order hereafter. Grand Commander Caswell explained the object of the custom. L. A. Purvin referred at length to the eminent services of General Pike, through whose influence Masonry became a power in the world. The ritual was then read. The mourning battery salute was given, and singing concluded the exercises.

**Many Claims Settled.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—The interstate commerce commission yesterday announced its decision in a number of claims involving reparation to shippers for discriminating charges on petroleum oil. Various claimants are awarded amounts aggregating $81,981, and the defendant carriers participating in the shipment are held severally liable.

**Plunging Into Debt.**

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Oct. 26.—The government press admits the seriousness of the financial condition of the colony, and apprehends that there is danger of being unable to liquidate obligations unless the strictest economy is practiced. It condemns the infractions of the retrenchment policy by the creation of new and useless offices.

**British Line Gets It.**

LONDON, Oct. 26. — The White Star steamship line has obtained the American contract for carrying the mails for a decade through the Majestic of their line beating the St. Louis in placing the New York mails in London. It is stated that the rate for the contract is 16 shillings a mile.

**Going to Ireland.**

BORDENTOWN, N. J., Oct. 26. — Mrs. Delia T. S. Parnell, who has sold at public auction her personal effects at Ironsides, left here today for New York, where she will remain until she has so far regained her health as to enable her to sail for Ireland.

**Backbone of Strike Broken.**

PHILIPSBURG, Pa., Oct. 26.—The resumption ordered by W. B. Wilson, who has been directing the mine strike in his region, pending the negotiations being made for a joint conference, had the effect of starting up nearly all the mines that were idle.

**The 128th Victim.**

BROOKLYN, Oct. 26.—The 128th victim of Brooklyn's trolley system, Ferdinand Gelinecht, 5 years old, while crossing Myrtle avenue, was struck by a car and almost instantly killed. The motorman of the car, William McMahoney, was arrested.

**Hurt by Cattle Imports.**

PARIS, Oct. 26.—The minister of husbandry yesterday received a deputation which presented a petition to the government protesting against the importation of cattle into France from the Argentine Republic and Canada.

**Not a Candidate For Re-election.**

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., Oct. 26.—The Evening Telegram announces that Senator Palmer has terminated his political career, and will not be a candidate for re-election by the next general assembly of Illinois.

**Served Short Term.**

ALBANY, Oct. 26.—Governor Morton has signed the pardon of Mrs. O'Hearn of New York, who was sentenced about a month ago to three months' imprisonment for selling liquor on Sunday.

**Afraid to Move.**

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Oct. 26.—There is still no alteration in the situation concerning the smuggling prosecutions, and the government seems fearful of making any move.

**Armenians the Aggressors.**

ALEPPO, Oct. 26.—According to advices received here, the Armenians of the district of Marash have attacked the inhabitants of four Turkish villages.

**Burglar Shot Coachman.**

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Oct. 26.—Joseph Trepannia, a coachman in the employ of Sherman D. Porter, was shot by a burglar at Mr. Porter's residence at about 7 o'clock last night. Mr. Porter discovered the burglar, and called his coachman, and together they attempted to capture the fellow. On their approach he shot Trepannia through the arm, and then turned and ran away.

**Fisherman Sunk.**

BOSTON, Oct. 25.—Fishing schooner F. S. Nickerson, Captain Simon West of Provincetown, was run into and sunk last night in the main ship channel, between Fort Independence and Fort Winthrop, by the tug A. W. Chesterton. Her crew of 15 men were taken off by the tug Resolute. The Nickerson is a dangerous obstruction to the navigation of the upper harbor.

**No Good Could Result.**

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Oct. 26. — Judge Elmer yesterday announced that he would not reopen the famous case of Millionaire Porter of Stamford, who was restrained for some time by his relatives from remarrying. Judge Elmer said no good could result from receiving more pleadings.

**Alleged Abuse of Seamen.**

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 26.—In the case of Captain F. I. Pendleton and Mate James Purse of the ship W. H. Conner, the mate denied the charge of abusing Cook McNamara, and Albert Colley, the colored steward, testified that the cook threatened to kill him, and did attempt to knife him once, but was prevented by Carpenter Christian, who corroborated the testimony of the steward. The case was continued by the commissioner until Monday, and the captain and mate were held in the sum of $1000.

**For Woman Suffrage.**

BOSTON, Oct. 26.—The Massachusetts Woman Suffrage association invites all persons who are willing to co-operate in the effort to get out a large "Yes" vote in November, or who are in sympathy with the movement, to send their names and addresses to the office of the association, 3 Park street, Boston. Woman suffrage literature can be obtained at the same office.

## THE VENEZUELAN ROW.

### Text of the First Demand Which Was Promulgated by Great Britain

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—So far as can be learned, there are no fresh developments in the Venezuelan affair, and apparently none is expected for a few days. It is said that the present unpublished British demands on Venezuela is a reiteration of a former demand, but couched in considerably stronger language. In view of the assertion that the question involved is one of reparation for wrongs done a British official, and does not involve the territorial question, publication is authorized of the first demand made by Great Britain. Its text is:

IMPERIAL GERMAN LEGATION,
CARACAS, Nov. 12, 1894.

Senor P. Esquiel Rojas, Minister of Foreign Relations:

In pursuance of a telegraphic communication from my government, I have had the honor, in the capacity of charge of British interests in Venezuela, to protest, in the name of the cabinet of Great Britain, against a violation of the frontier of British Guiana, perpetrated by Venezuelan soldiers on the Cuyuni river, and to ask that an order of prohibition be issued to the Venezuelan soldiers against crossing that river, also against their cutting timber on the right bank of the river. I have the honor to request your excellency to bring this communication before a council of ministers at your earliest possible convenience, and, as a solution of the vexatious question is desired by the parties interested, I hope to receive the reply of your excellency at an early moment. HODMAN.

The protest was sent through the German minister, Baron Bodman, as the British have discontinued diplomatic relations with Venezuela.

The text of the Venezuelan answer, also made public, shows that the demand was rejected on the express ground that instructions to Venezuelan soldiers not to cross the Cuyuni river would be a surrender of the entire territorial question continually urged by Venezuela.

**Heavy Damage to Property.**

HAMILTON, Bermuda, Oct. 26.—A hurricane swept over the island. Many serious accidents occurred, but so far no loss of life is reported. Houses were unroofed and started from their foundations, verandas and outbuildings bodily blown away, and trees were uprooted. Early crops will be damaged and considerable will be ruined. Telephone and telegraph posts were razed in every direction and communication is completely demoralized.

**Time Is Up.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 26. — Cecil Stuart, the newspaper man who is going around the world on a wager, will lose it. He started from New Zealand and was to be in Boston Oct. 25. In his effort he was not to beg, borrow or steal. Yesterday he reached the stockyards in search for the transportation by a cattle train to Boston. He secured it, but will not be able to reach Boston in time.

**Couldn't Go Through.**

COLUMBIA, S. C., Oct. 26.—In the constitutional convention, Delegate Wigg, colored, proposed a suffrage plan based on a property and educational qualification, but taking it out of the power of the managers of elections to decide these things for the voter. The substitute was voted down.

**Counterfeiter Convicted.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Dr. Orlando E. Bradford, who was accused of having in his possession plates for the printing of $100 bills, was yesterday found guilty. John Nixon, who was jointly tried with him, was acquitted.

**Coming Cardinals.**

ROME, Oct. 26.—At the consistory to be held in November, the pope will create as cardinals the papal nuncios at Paris, Vienna, Lisbon and Madrid, the archbishop of Ancona and Mgr. Satolli.

**Against Free Silver.**

OWENSBORO, Ky., Oct. 26.—The bankers of Kentucky, in session here, unanimously adopted resolutions declaring themselves against the free and unlimited coinage of silver.

**Burial of Van Wyck.**

MILFORD, Pa., Oct. 26.—The remains of the late ex-Senator Van Wyck were brought here yesterday from Washington. Interment took place today.

**Designer Loses a Job.**

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Charles D. Rose has cancelled his order to build the Distant Shore.

**Student's Bad Joke.**

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 26.—The larceny of the Louisburg cross from Harvard library building was the result of a student's playing upon the cupidity of a laborer employed on the building. The student told him the cross was solid gold. When the laborer had secured it and discovered the hoax, he is supposed to have destroyed it to protect himself from arrest.

**Copied German Style.**

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 26. — The Eighth regiment, M. V. M., held its annual field day in the towns of Essex and Ipswich yesterday. The day's program followed the idea of the German "kriegspiel," or a play at war. Eight companies under Major Bailey attacked four companies commanded by Major Dow. Honors were evenly divided.

**With Simple Ceremonies.**

NORTH EASTON, Mass., Oct. 26.—The funeral of the late ex-Governor Oliver Ames was held in Unity church here. The services were simple. Rev. William L. Chaffin officiated, and many friends of the late ex-governor were present, as well as representatives from both the executive and legislative branches of the commonwealth.

**All In One Body.**

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 26.—The last step toward the consolidation of the New England and the Connecticut Valley Dental societies was taken yesterday in the adoption of a new constitution. The new organization is known as the Northeastern Dental association. James McManus of Hartford was elected president.

**Work of Firebug.**

SURRY, Me., Oct. 26.—Early yesterday morning fire broke out in a shed in the rear of George W. Allen's store here. Mr. Allen's store, the Baptist church and a dwelling were burned to the ground; and two other dwellings were badly damaged. At one time it looked as though the village would go. The fire was incendiary.

**Was Cleaning a Revolver.**

SOUTH FRAMINGHAM, Mass., Oct. 26.—While cleaning a revolver Freeman Foster, 14 years old, accidentally shot Frank Dunn, about the same age, the cartridge entering the right breast and lodging beyond the reach of a probe. Dunn will recover. The injury was purely accidental.

**Ready For Trial.**

BOSTON, Oct. 26.—Preparations for the official trial trip of the Katahdin are now complete. The trial course will be the same as used in the trial of the torpedo boat Ericsson in Long Island Sound. The official speed trial will take place Tuesday or Wednesday.

**A Dangerous Obstruction.**

BOSTON, Oct. 26.—Captain Hallett of the steamer H. M. Whitney reports that the wreck of the schooner Frank A. Magee lies about 1300 feet N.NW. from the bell buoy in Pollock Rip slue. The schooner constitutes a very dangerous obstruction.

**Sugar Goes Down.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 26.—All grades of sugar dropped ¼ cent yesterday on account of dullness in trade and large accumulations of refined sugar.

**London's Lord Mayor Honored.**

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Sir Joseph Renals, lord mayor of London, has been made a baronet.

**President Pierola Sick.**

LIMA, Oct. 26.—President Pierola is confined to his bed with an attack of influenza.

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## CHURCH SERVICES FOR TOMORROW.

(Notices for this department should be sent in before 11 o'clock on Saturdays.)

**Presbyterian.**

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Broadway chapel, Rev. J. M. Craig. Preaching at 10:45 A. M. Sunday school at 3 P. M. Evening service at 7:30. Sunday school at Wellington Avenue Chapel at 12:30 P. M.; service at 3 P. M.

**Roman Catholic.**

ST. MARY'S, Rev. Philip Grace, D. D.; Rev. John F. Tully and Rev. Philip F. Cronin, assistants. Low masses at 7, 8:15 and 9:15; high mass at 10:30 A. M.; vespers at 3 P. M.

ST. JOSEPH'S, Clarke and Touro streets, Rev. James Coyle; Rev. Mortimer G. Downing, assistant. Low masses at 7, 8 and 9; high mass and sermon at 10:30. Vespers at 7:30.

**Protestant Episcopal.**

TRINITY PARISH, Rev. George J. Magill, D. D., Holy Communion at 8 A. M. in Kay Chapel; morning service at 10:45; Sunday school at 2:30 P. M.; evening service at 8 P. M. Rev. Hamilton Schuyler will preach his farewell sermon.

SCANDINAVIAN MISSION, services in Kay Chapel at 10:45 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

ST. GEORGE'S CHAPEL, Rhode Island avenue, Rev. C. G. Gilliat, D. D., Early celebration at 8 A. M. Service with sermon at 10:45 A. M. and choral service with sermon at 7:45 P. M.

ZABRISKIE MEMORIAL CHURCH OF ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST, Washington street, Rev. E. L. Buckey, rector. Communion at 7:30 A. M. Prayer service at 10:30 A. M.; communion and sermon at 10:45 A. M.; evening prayer and sermon at 7:30.

EMMANUEL CHURCH, Rev. E. H. Porter. Morning prayer and sermon at 10:45; Sunday school at 12:15; evening prayer and sermon at 7:30. Holy Communion first Sunday in each month at 10:45 A. M., third Sunday at 7:30 A. M., and on holy days at 10:30 A. M. Rev. Lewis DeCormis of New Jersey will officiate.

**Unitarian.**

CHANNING MEMORIAL CHURCH, Rev. George W. Cutler. Preaching by the pastor at 10:45; subject, "Our National Conference." Bible classes at 12 M.

**Baptist.**

FIRST CHURCH, Rev. Isaac Newton Phelps. Preaching at 10:45 and at 7:30.

SECOND CHURCH, Rev. M. S. Howes. Preaching at 10:45 A. M.; subject, "A Primary Subject." Sunday school at 12. Evening service at 7:30; subject, "Secret Possessions."

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH, Rev. Warren Randolph, D. D. Morning service at 10:45. Sunday school at 3 P. M. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

MT. OLIVET BAPTIST CHURCH, in Bryer's Hall, Rev. J. H. Watkins. Morning service at 10:45 A. M. The Sunday school and Literary society will meet at 3:30 P. M. Evening service at 7:30.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH, School and Mary streets. Preaching service at 10:45 A. M.; subject, "God's Call and Revelation;" Sunday school at 12:30 P. M. At the evening service the pastor will give the tenth of the sermons illustrative of the Pilgrim's Progress, the subject being "Delectable Mountains."

**Salvation Army.**

Services in hall, Thames street, foot of Cannon. Christians' meeting at 3 P. M.; children's meeting from 5 to 6 P. M.; evenings, at 8 o'clock.

**Friends.**

MEETING HOUSE, Marlborough street. Morning meeting at 10:30 and evening meeting at 7:30. Sabbath school at 12 o'clock.

**Swedish Lutheran.**

Services in Barker's hall, 230½ Thames street, every other Sunday at 10:45 A. M. and 7.45 P. M.

**Methodist Episcopal.**

FIRST CHURCH, Rev. E. O. Bass, D. D. Preaching at 10:45. Sunday school at 12:15. Evening service at 7:30. The presiding elder, Rev. S. O. Benton, will occupy the pulpit at the morning service.

THAMES STREET, Rev. James H. McDonald. Preaching at 10:45 A. M. Sunday school at 12:10. Young people's meeting at 6:45. Evening service at 7:30.

SWEDISH CHURCH, Annandale road, Rev. C. Paulson. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. by the pastor; Sunday school at 12; Epworth League meeting at 6:30 P. M.; evening service at 7:45.

MOUNT ZION, (African) M. E., Bellevue avenue; Rev. W. H. Thomas, D. D. Preaching services at 10:45 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Christian Endeavor meeting from 6:30 to 7:20 P. M. Sunday school at 2 o'clock.

**Young Men's Christian Association.**

Samuel S. Jessup, general secretary. Men's prayer meeting at 9:30 A. M.; boys' meeting at 4:30 P. M.; men's meeting at 6 P. M. Rev. P. L. Brooks of Middletown will speak at the men's meeting, and Rev. J. C. Jolnes will address the boys' meeting.

**Congregational.**

UNITED CHURCH, Rev. Robert W. Wallace. At the morning service at 10:45 A. M., Rev. Mr. Wallace will give the last of a series of historical sermons on Congregationalism in Newport from 1845 to 1895. Sunday school at 12:15; evening service at 7:30.

UNION CHURCH, Rev. M. Van Horne. Sunday school at 12 M.; preaching at 3 and evening service at 7:30. Rev. W. H. Thomas, jr., will preach at the morning service and Mr. D. A. Smith will conduct the evening service.

**JAMESTOWN.**

ST. MATTHEW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Services at 11 A. M. Sunday school after morning service. Mr. Henry W. Clarke will conduct the services.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH—Preaching services 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M.

**MIDDLETOWN.**

ST. COLUMBA'S BERKELEY MEMORIAL CHURCH, Southeast Cliffs. Morning prayer at 10:30. Sunday school at 2 P. M.; evening prayer at 3.

MIDDLETOWN FOUR CORNERS, Rev. F. L. Brooks. Sunday school at 10:30 A. M. Preaching service at 2 and evening service at 7.

ST. MARY'S PARISH, Rev. George Herbert Patterson. HOLY CROSS CHAPEL, West road, service at 3 P. M.

**PORTSMOUTH.**

ST. MARY'S PARISH, Rev. George Herbert Patterson. ST. MARY'S CHURCH, service at 11 A. M.; Sunday school at 10 A. M.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH, Rev. Henry W. McCrone, East road and Union street, services at 2 and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 12.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Rev. J. Sturgis Pearce. Services at 10:30 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. Sunday school at 1:45 P. M.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Rev. J. F. Geisler. Preaching at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday school at 2 M.; praise and prayer meeting at 7 P. M.


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## SEASONABLE NOTES.

Poor Mr. Rose! But yesterday and his name was on all tongues as an Englishman of good taste, good breeding, and of generous impulses toward Americans. Today there is none so poor as to do him honor. His fame has speedily become notoriety. What could be pardoned in a degree in Lord Dunraven, because of his well-known quick temper and bluff disposition, and his great disappointment at seeing his yacht beaten, cannot be condoned in this man who suddenly loomed up from nowhere—in a nautical sense—and put his finger in the pie so vigorously. Mr. Rose does not seem to have been moved by a high motive in his entire meddlesome career.

Tu-whit! tu-who! "A weary thing to an owlet's eyes is the garish light of day," and this special owl was avoiding it under the big leaves of a thick headed little catalpa tree at the Newport nursery. The owl supposed that tree was his special property, and there is evidence that he had long made it his day-room, but in ignorance of this fact the tree was sold, and Thursday men began to dig it up for delivery, when out tumbled the large-eyed tenant. He was a soft, fluffy creature not much larger than a dove, and beautifully feathered and marked in black, white and gray. He was round-headed and had big black eyes set in wide hollows. The garish light so overcame him that he was a helpless object in the hands of the enemy, and bore his eviction from home, and imprisonment under a box, without a word of protest.

It was a common wooden box placed on the ground that held the pretty owl, and his captors stood about it and built several castles in the air. One came in town in search of a large brass cage whose former owner, a mocking bird, came to grief through feasting on some bitter-sweet berries brought into the room for decoration.

Another captor reckoned up the value of the owl if sold, beginning at five dollars if it proved only a common owl, and doubling the sum for an uncommon specimen, and running it up high for a very rare bird. A third man looked ahead, and saw the owl, tamed and affectionate, spending his nights catching rats and mice about the greenhouses. The matter of what captive owls should be fed was seriously considered.

But when darkness had settled, and the box was lifted with an idea of beginning the taming process, behold there was no owl there! Whether the bird of mystery had vanished through the wooden cover or through the ball of earth on which we live is a question. It may be that in the gloaming a curious admirer had lifted the prison walls a little too high, and the owl having recovered his powers of sight had slipped out. If so the culprit has not confessed. The bird has the secret, and probably will keep it, contenting himself with giving a specially hoarse cry of derision as he sweeps silently by night over the place where he endured such indignity.

Beyond the fact that he was a small owl and neither horned nor long-eared his species is unknown. It may have been an American sparrow owl.

The owl is an interesting bird, but one difficult to get well acquainted with owing to his not agreeing with our customs of observing day and night. His absolute noiseless movements at the time that he does venture forth from his secluded day retreat is another peculiarity that makes the largest of owls difficult to find. The exquisite fineness of the silky down edging the wing-quills, themselves of the softest webbing, seems to surround this bird with a special atmosphere of silence however fast he flies.

Mice, moles, frogs, snakes, fish and insects are regular food of the owls according to the size of the species. The other birds are all enemies of the night-flyer, his tormenters by day when he is sleepy and helpless, and his victims by night if not wary. A plump squirrel or chicken that does not know enough to go to bed at sunset is in the way of making an owl's late dinner, but his diet is usually on things that show him as a friend to man.

According to tradition the owl is a ghost bird, akin to midnight tragedies and nature at the worst and gloomiest. His night wandering and the hoarseness of his cry are against his character. A way he has of slowly turning his thick neck almost entirely about and bringing the head back to position with so quick a movement that it is hardly noticed, and going on with another slow turn, gives him a weird effect of winding himself up. The owl's look of knowing all things may be exasperating to weak minds, and by all he is generally regarded as uncanny, but many are the stories told by close observers of his better qualities, his sacrifices for his young, his love of companionship, and his hospitality. An owl has been known to welcome a squirrel to his tree-hollow, and live there with him in peace and friendliness, passing in together in the most companionable fashion.

## DEATH OF JAMES M. WILCOX.

Mr. James M. Wilcox, who for many years was engaged in the manufacture of United States bank note paper at Glen Mills, Penn., in which business he introduced many original and useful ideas, and who later was president of the American Cement Company, died Wednesday night at Haverford, Penn.

Mr. Wilcox was born at Ivy Mills, Penn., in the house which had been the family homestead for generations, November 20, 1824. One of Mr. Wilcox's first aims was to raise the paper manufacture to a higher level, and he turned special attention toward the plan of making bank note paper by machinery, and with success. Then, impressed with the importance of checking and perhaps preventing the counterfeiting of money, so commonly and so easily done at that time, he conceived and produced the "localized fibre" paper, so long used by the United States government for its notes and bonds. The paper was for many years manufactured at Glen Mills under the government protection, until finally its success at home brought it to the favorable consideration of the governments of Europe, and in 1878, under agreement with the imperial government of Germany, a mill was established near Berlin for the manufacture of the German currency paper.

The chemical paper used by the United States Treasury Department for the stamps and checks of the department, and called "chameleon" paper, on account of its sensitive changes when tampered with, was also Mr. Wilcox's invention. It put an end to the counterfeiting and reusing of internal revenue stamps, by which the government had been extensively robbed of its revenue.

Upon his retirement from the paper business, in 1880, Mr. Wilcox became interested in the development of the manufacture of Portland cement in the United States, and became president of the American Cement Company. At the time of his death he was president of the American Cement Company, director of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company, and largely identified with other corporate interests. Mr. Wilcox has for several summers resided at Jamestown, where he had a fine residence on the Highlands.

## LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Mr. Cornelius Vanderbilt is expected from New York today.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Caswell returned to New York today.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Brown have returned from West Point.

—Baron and Baroness Schlitter will soon return from Europe.

—Pay Director Casper Schenck, U. S. N., was in town yesterday.

—Ensign Henry J. Ziegemeier has reported for duty at the Torpedo Station.

—Mr. and Mrs. Anthony S. Sherman have gone to New York for a few days.

—Rev. Hamilton Schuyler will preach his farewell sermon at Trinity Church tomorrow.

—Mr. George S. Scott and family will sail for Europe on the St. Paul next Wednesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Vanderbilt, who are at their country place on the Hudson, will return to "Rough Point."

—Mr. John Austin Stevens, Mr. J. N. A. Griswold and Mr. E. L. Winthrop returned from New York last night.

—Rear Admiral and Mrs. S. B. Luce and Mr. and Mrs. Lorillard Spencer sailed on steamship Berlin from Southampton for New York today.

—The local amateur fishermen are having sport angling for tautog and are making such large catches that they have difficulty in giving away the fish after they return home.

—Neil McKinnon is building a handsome cottage for Boatswain Stephen McCarty, on the corner of Rhode Island avenue and Kay street. It is from designs by Mr. James Smith, architect.

—Captain Munting and Lieutenant Johns of the Salvation Army, who were formerly stationed here, have returned from a visit to England, and Lieutenant Johns is now on a brief visit to the new officers of the Army in this city.

—The fishermen were on Thames street in large numbers last night, and at one time seemed about to have a big row, as a large number was gathered and had some very lively talk near North Commercial wharf. When Officer Shea came along to investigate the case he found that the fishermen were not to blame, as an outsider started the trouble. There was no fight.

## AT THE OPERA HOUSE.

Two good attractions are announced for the Opera House next week, Hoyt's "A Trip to Chinatown" Wednesday evening, and Ed Harrigan in "Old Lavender" Thursday.

"A Trip to Chinatown" is one of the most popular plays written by Charles H. Hoyt, and will be presented here with a strong company headed by Burr Haverly as Welland Strong and Laura Biggar as the widow. Mr. Haverly and Miss Biggar have played the parts many times in the larger cities, and the supporting company has been seen in Mr. Hoyt's plays at his New York theatre.

It is many years since Newport theatre-goers have had an opportunity to see Ed Harrigan, and there will undoubtedly be a large audience to greet the man whose name is known to every one at all interested in the dramatic world. The Philadelphia Times says: "To most theatre-goers 'Old Lavender' is a creation well known and well liked. The cast-down, drink-deadened, heart-broken old man, who is still the gentleman despite the poverty of his surroundings, is a character in which Mr. Harrigan is seen at his best, while the local color of the scenes to which his pathetic degradation has brought him is thoroughly in touch with that unique vein that has always appealed to the public in the other and more riotous plays in which the actor has been seen here. The river front, with scenes and incidents peculiar to that locality, and the interior of a sailors' boarding-house, were pictures true to life and duly appreciated. The company supporting Mr. Harrigan is a competent and painstaking one, old favorites and new-comers aiding him to round out the story in realistic and artistic fashion."

## FORT ADAMS NOTES.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

Captain Field made a brief visit to Boston this week.

Lieutenant Harrison is absent on four days' leave.

Lieutenant Niles has been granted leave of absence for two months.

Lieutenant Aultman was in Providence Thursday.

Lieutenant Simpson is acting quartermaster during the absence of Lieutenant Harrison.

Major D. W. Lockwood, corps of engineers, visited the fort this week.

Private Joseph Bombriend of battery D has been reported as a deserter.

Sergeants John Berger and Conrad Zang, stationed at Fort Warren, Mass., were here this week on temporary duty.

Police Officer Payne of Lincoln was a witness in the case of a desertion trial Thursday.

The annual heavy artillery target practice was concluded this week, and the practice was satisfactory in every respect.

A general court-martial was in session here Thursday.

Although the members of last season's football team, with one exception, have been discharged or transferred to Fort Warren, there is good material left for a team, but no effort has been made towards organization and the season is now so far advanced that it is not likely that Fort Adams will be represented o the gridiron this year.

## ANTIQUE STYLES IN COLLARS.

There is a return among other antique styles to the large expanding collars variously named after the historical personages with whose portraits we are familiar. The "Tudor" and the "Stuart" collars severally are conspicuously present on some of the imported gowns which are to be copied for fashionable American women; some of these collars are reproduced in their integrity, and there are many variations. Velvet and brocade collars, stiffly wired and more or less adorned, will be worn with indoor dresses not exclusively designed for evening wear. Some of the collars are battlemented, some stand high at the back of the neck, tapering to points on each side of the V or square-trimmed front of the bodice. Another favorite shape stands upwell around the neck and face, curvior outwards. Bejewelled or otherwise enriched, such collars are elegant and picturesque additions to any gowns they consistently adorn; but nothing of the kind requires more judicious selection as regards suitability, as well as as regards the shape and size and length of the throat, the height of the shoulders, the style of dressing the hair, and last, but not least, the contour of the face. —[C. D. F., in New York Post.

## THE BLUEBIRD IN AUTUMN.

The chill winds scatter, as they pass,
The sere leaves on the yellow grass.
And, underneath the dull gray skies,
A bluebird through the orchard flies,
Still keeping, though no song he sings,
The heavenly azure of his wings.

O soul of mine! The autumn light
Gleams pale! How near thy time of flight!
What matters it that all need long
Has been thy May-time's rapturous song,
Hast thou but kept, through all life brings,
Unstained the brightness of thy wings?

—[Marian Douglas, in Harper's Bazar.

## FANCIES.

St. Peter—Well, are they all awake yet?

Gabriel—No, I will have to blow again for Philadelphians.—[Truth.

She—Would you like to step into the conservatory for a moment and rest?

He—What's the use? Some one else is there.—[Puck.

Think of the happiness a nickel can purchase! You can buy two watermelons for it in Georgia, and the man who sells them to you will lend you a knife to boot.—[Atlanta Constitution.

"Do you know who wrote that favorite hymn, beginning 'When I can read my title clear?'"

"No, but I think it must have been some lawyer."—[Brooklyn Life.

First Tramp—It makes me nervous to sleep in one of dese lodgin' houses. Supposin' a fire wuz to break out in de night?

Second Tramp—Dat's so. Dem firemen would turn a hose on yer in a minute!—[Truth.

New York's saloon keepers are quite ready to believe that "Every day will be Sunday over there," but they want to know which way Commissioner Roosevelt is going before they make a final selection of a future abode. —[Life.

American Maiden—Why is it that Englishmen say "don't you know" so much in their conversation?

Visiting Englishman—It must be because they wonder why you don't, don't you know. —[Puck.

Carrie—Oh, yes, you can flatter me to my face; but I heard that you said that I couldn't hold a candle to Mamie Styles.

Harry—I think I must have said you *couldn't*, for you know she never did light up well.—[Boston Transcript.

"Hello; been hunting?"
"Yep."
"Shoot anything?"
"Yep."
"What?"
"Gun."—[Chicago Record.

"But how did he become so addicted to the use of intoxicants? I knew him two or three years ago, and he was then a total abstainer."

"I know; but since then he has visited so many watering places that he has become a confirmed drunkard."—[Boston Transcript.

Farmer Meddergrass had been Sally Wintergreen's "steady company" for ten years and over. One day he plucked up courage to say:

"Sal, what would you do if I wuz ter ask ye ter marry me?"

"Drop dead!" replied Sal.—[Pittsburg Chronicle.

"I want some sermon paper," said the young dominie, walking into the stationer's shop.

"Here is just what you want," returned the clerk. "This is what is called the extra heavy sermon paper."

"Then it won't do for my sermons," said the young dominie; "for my sermons are no more than ordinarily heavy."—[Harper's Bazar.

## PERSONALS.

....Mrs. Susan Ann Meuzies Shaw, who is living in West Brookfield, Mass., shook hands with Lafayette at the laying of the cornerstone of the Bunker Hill monument.

....It is said that the oldest living man and wife in the United States are Louis and Amelia Darwin of Black Falls, Wis. The husband was born in 1788, or one year before the inauguration of the first President of the United States, and the wife was born in 1794. They have been married eighty years.

....Miss Sarah L. Arnold, the recently elected supervisor of the Boston public schools, is to deliver a course of lectures on education in Philadelphia. Miss Arnold had charge of all the primary work in the public schools of Minneapolis for several years before going to Boston, and has gained a national reputation as a speaker on educational topics in all parts of the country.

....The engagement is announced of Miss Cornelia Van Rensselaer Vail, youngest daughter of Mrs. David Olyphant Vail of New York, to Henry Golden Dearth. Miss Vail is a niece of the late Schuyler Van Rensselaer and a great-great-granddaughter of General Robert Van Rensselaer, proprietor of Claverack Manor, and brother-in-law of General Philip Schuyler, with whom he was associated in the War of the Revolution. Mr. Dearth is well known among the younger American artists. He is of New England ancestry, being descended from the colonial governor, William Bradford.

....Senator Stephen B. Elkins and ex Senator H. G. Davis have renewed the proposition made by them four years ago to the presbytery of Lexington, W. Va. The proposition, which has been accepted, contemplates the founding of a Presbyterian college at Elkins, W. Va., to which Messrs. Elkins and Davis will give $30,000 in cash and land for the site, provided the presbytery raises a like sum.

....The Marquis of Dufferin, British ambassador to France, whose resignation of the post of lord warden of the cinque ports was recently announced, explains as the reason of his resignation that, as on the conclusion of his diplomatic career next summer he proposes to reside almost continuously in Ireland, he felt that he would be precluded from discharging acceptably the duties of the lord warden. Therefore, as a matter of conscience, he must retire from the position. Lord Dufferin's residence is at Clandeberie, County Down, Ireland.

## THE ILLUSTRATED AMERICAN.

The current number of the Illustrated American surpasses itself pictorially and artistically. The front page is adorned by a fine picture of Paderewski, and then follows the leading article by Lillian Baynes, on "Some Beauties at the Portrait Exhibition," illustrated by a wealth of portraits of well known women. Richard Knight, in his usual style, addresses Richard Croker with the question: "What Hast Thou Done with Thy Talents?" Thomas Nast portrays the embarrassing political situation of New York in one of his most striking cartoons, entitled "The Poisoned Flower of Harmony." "The New System of Betting" and "The Correction of the Turf" describe the condition of the turf at this moment. "Fame at Their Finger Tips" is a pictorial and letter-press story about some of the well-known musicians of the world. The magazine contains its usual instalment of the stage, its continued story and other good things.

The reason for Mr. Rose's withdrawal of his challenge is not far to seek. The Dunraven interest has contrived to make things very unpleasant for him, and has brought him to a realizing sense of the fact that to be in disfavor with the aristocratic party is to be very deeply shaded indeed. Consequently he has no option but to withdraw from his brief prominence, and it is to his credit that he does so with as little explanation as possible. But he finishes a very small potato, does Mr. Rose of the Distant—the extremely Distant—Shore.—[Philadelphia Times.

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## *DISCREDITING OUR COUNTRY.*

Ever since President Cleveland has been in office there have been frequent reports of trouble in the cabinet and rumors of quarrels between the chief executive and his subordinates. These stories have uniformly proved false as well as malicious, but their originators keep on in their evil work, nothing daunted by their numerous exposures as false prophets and newspaper frauds.

The latest attempt to discredit the administration by this process, and strengthen the hands of countries with which we are in controversy, is the story that the government at Washington is not a unit on questions of foreign policy, and that the President and the Secretary of State are working at cross purposes. Were this true it would weaken us immensely in our attempts to apply the Monroe doctrine to the Venezuelan situation or to the Cuban controversy, and thus prove a national calamity. And to make England and other countries believe it true would afford them encouragement to press their claims and resist to the last our advances.

All advices show that these reports are pure fictions, like many others sent out from Washington by the President's enemies. It is known that Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Olney have had no controversy at all, and that the two are, and have been from the first, fully agreed as to the policy to be pursued. Walter Wellman, than whom there appears to be no better informed newspaper man in Washington, writes to the Chicago Times-Herald: "In connection with this wholly baseless story of a quarrel between President Cleveland and the Secretary of State is published a statement to the effect that the cabinet is seriously divided on the Venezuelan question. This story is as much without foundation as the other. If there is a single member of the cabinet who does not approve the attitude taken by the administration on the Monroe doctrine and its applicability to the Venezuelan boundary dispute he has not made his objections known to his confreres. I have ample authority for the statement, an important one at this juncture, that all the members of the cabinet heartily approve the vigorous stand taken by President Cleveland and Secretary Olney in the latter's despatch to Ambassador Bayard." This is substantiated by the best possible evidence, including a statement from Attorney General Harmon, who says: "I am willing to be quoted as saying that the relations between the President and the Secretary of State are wholly cordial and friendly. They have not had even a difference of opinion out of which the story of a quarrel could be built, and the tale is a lie out of whole cloth, without a shadow of foundation for it."

This should be satisfactory to all right-minded people, and will be accepted as such. But the sensational press, in its hostility to the administration, having been driven from one position where its malignity has been clearly exposed, will doubtless invent some other point of attack and proceed anew. Cabinet "rumors" have long been a favorite guise under which to proceed, and the country will do well to discredit everything of the kind, as thus far most of them have been sent out simply as a cloak for the maliciousness which lurks in the hearts of those who give them circulation.

## *A HAPPY CITY.*

Washington is probably the best governed city in the country. The government is altogether peculiar, as the city has no mayor, no city council and no municipal elections. The District commissioners, who are appointed by Congress, have just completed their estimates of the amount required to conduct the municipality during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1897, and sent the same to the Secretary of the Treasury, together with a statement of the estimated revenues. They ask for an appropriation of $7,496,257.47, one half of which the general government is to pay. Under some circumstances this might be considered a large sum, but the appropriations are expended from year to year in such a manner as to make every dollar tell to the best advantage. There is no division of the spoils through distribution among wards, fire companies or local factions, and the result is that Washington is fast becoming the most beautiful city in the world, and her people the most prosperous.

## *ILLEGAL VOTING.*

In Philadelphia it is said that $100,000 was paid by political parties in taxes to qualify voters. It is also shown that the courts of Pennsylvania have decided that the payment of these taxes for this purpose was for a corrupt purpose and failed to legally qualify to vote the persons for whom the taxes were paid. In other words, the payment of a tax by one person to qualify another to vote, with the intent that he shall vote for a particular person or party, is an act of bribery, by which the payer intends to give the right to vote to the person for whom the tax is paid in consideration that this person will vote for him or his party; and the voting by any person under such qualification is an acceptance of the consideration and makes both the payer and the person voting guilty of bribery. This shows that the payment of a tax under these circumstances confers no right to vote upon the person for whom the tax is paid, and if such person puts a vote into the ballot box it is simply a fraudulent vote, and as such can confer no valid title to an office upon the person for whom the votes were given. To hold otherwise would deprive an election of the character of choice, and would degrade it by making the election depend upon the ability of parties or candidates to qualify by money payments a majority of the persons who undertake to vote.

## *ANOTHER IMPROVEMENT.*

The two beautiful lindens standing on the Coe estate, near the Thames street line, are now to come down. It is a pity to lose them, but the conditions clearly demand the sacrifice, and we can only say peace to their memory. They are believed to have been brought from Europe and planted where they now are, as were those also which stand in front of the old house. These are the largest lindens in Newport, and probably in New England, for they seldom attain a greater height or wider spread of top. To preserve them the branches are held together by strong bands of iron. Some of these limbs are large enough to make respectable trees of themselves, and but for the protection thus afforded would have probably broken down long before this.

In place of the trees now to be removed, a large and judging from the reports beautiful business block is to be erected by the present owners—another proof of the steady growth and prosperity of our city, and that Thames street is its business centre. Work has already been begun, and the well known enterprise of Messrs. Newton and Horgan assures its speedy completion. Each of these gentlemen has put up fine buildings on the street on his own account, and now combine their energies and capital for what may surpass anything which has yet appeared in this locality.

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The story is told of a funny young man at Delhi, N. Y., who arrayed himself in ghostly garb, and, striding solemnly on stilts, stopped four women bicyclists on a lonely road. Three of them ran away, but the fourth struck the ghost violently in the side with a cobble stone, and he had to be carried home for repairs. Good girl that!

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The authorities are stirring up the unauthorized liquor sellers at Bar Harbor. They considerately waited until the "season" was over, but now appear to be in earnest. Recent events demonstrate the possibility of enforcing the laws whenever there is a real purpose to do so.

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The Massachusetts Republicans are getting badly rattled, and it is not yet decided whether the A. P. A. or its opponents is in the majority. Each side claims the advantage, and each talks about expelling the other.

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All the glory which the prize fighting ring ever had has passed away. The later expert bruisers have been so low, vulgar and cowardly as to forfeit the respect of even the toughs.

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United States Senator Palmer of Illinois will retire from the political arena. He is an old man now, and has done his country good service in both peace and war.

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Neither "free" silver coinage nor any other in which the white metal is used is now in vogue in this country. Secretary Carlisle has stopped the whole business.

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The Westerly Sun says nobody was surprised at the result of the Newport election. But we know of some people who were very much disappointed.

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To him that hath shall be given. Chicago University has just received a gift of $250,000 from a person not connected with the Standard Oil Company.

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The Cuban patriots continue to keep up a sort of running fire. They decline to stand and be counted before they are shot.

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The reform movement in Providence politics is fairly launched. It is greatly needed.

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Some newspapers and some people are still talking third-term nonsense.

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The pleasant weather is still with us.

## IN CEYLON.

Half an hour before the first gray light of dawn had begun to steal round the distant crests of the Kandyan mountains we had started, in order to reach the edge of the forest before sunrise. Our guide had timed us well. The cold gray light of morning was still round us when we reached the river, rushing and gurgling with a liquid music over the sandy shallows and between the scattered masses of rock that strewed its bed. The eastern sky was flushing from a silvery pink to violet as we neared the first outlying satin-wood trees, that rose, vast pinnacles of shining green, strangely tinted by the colored light. And just as we reached the forest itself we halted involuntarily to see the sun rise slowly from the eastern ocean, the floods of gold above and around him flashing back in a thousand coruscations from the glittering plain below.

As we plunged into the jungle path, the last belated bats were flapping their way homeward, and giving place to the first birds of day, the crows, whose joyous cries already made the dim recesses of the forest start into life. The flood of morning sunshine which lighted up the path, though it could hardly be said to do as much for the depths of the surrounding jungle, was the signal for the awakening of the teeming life of the forest. From every branch on either side our pathway poured a sudden gush of music. The rich song of the dial-bird was mingled with the more distant flute-like notes of the oriole, and from the far recesses of the forest the deep mellow call of the jungle-cock filled the air with a luxury of sound. Then the insect life awoke. Huge dragon-flies, startling in their bright metallic coloring, flashed past us; bright moths and gaudy butterflies floated and danced in the streams of sunlight, that here and there penetrated the over arching canopy of leaves, like huge painted motes dancing in the golden tide. Our little party moved silently along the forest path, even the horses treading softly, as if unwilling to disturb the universal jubilee.—[Owen Hall, in November Lippincott's.

## SEALS RAPIDLY DIMINISHING.

Secretary Olney is utilizing all the agencies at his command to secure the preservation of the Alaska fur seals. He is convinced from the reports of treasury experts that the animals are being rapidly diminished, as the result of pelagic sealing, and he assumes that if some steps are not taken to prevent their indiscriminate slaughter they will within a few years be exterminated.

Secretary Olney has within the past month called the attention of Russia and Japan to the necessity of some plan which will prevent deep-sea fishing during the open season. He finds both countries to be willing to co-operate with the United States in patroling Behring sea and preventing, so far as lies in their power, further poaching by vessels flying their respective flags. Secretary Olney feels, however, that the combined efforts of Japan and the United States will be useless unless Great Britain can be induced to lend a hand, and this Great Britain, from all accounts, is not willing to do.

By the terms of the Paris award, the regulations now in force must continue five years, at which time they can be renewed or a new agreement made, at the pleasure of the two countries. If Congress next winter shall appropriate $450,000, which is the amount of the damages claimed by Great Britain for the seizure of Canadian sealers in years past, Her Majesty's government may be in a frame of mind better suited to the adoption of rules looking to the better preservation of the seals. Should Congress decline to appropriate the money, Great Britain, it is believed, will adhere only to the letter of the Paris award, and neglect, as last season, to act according to the true intent of the provisions devised to protect seal life.

The preparation of the convention looking to the payment of these damages will begin at the State Department soon. It is not improbable that Sir Charles Tupper, the Canadian minister of justice, who is thoroughly familiar with the long contention between the United States and Great Britain regarding the fisheries question, will be present, to be consulted regarding matters of detail, and be will doubtless be accompanied by Mr. Costigan, the Canadian minister of marine.

## BOURKE COCKRAN'S BIG RETAINER.

Bourke Cockran, Tammany's great orator, has charmed many an audience with his scholarly and powerful oratory, and a story of him, as told by his friend, Colonel John R. Fellowes, will not be amiss. It does not sound so well to read it on paper as to hear it from the lips of New York's gifted prosecuting officer.

It was in the days when Bourke Cockran and John R. Fellowes were not so well off in the goods of this world as they are now. Big fees were scarce then, and it is on a fee that the story is founded. In those days a score or more of young politicians, including Fellowes and Cockran, formed a social club bearing a far from euphonious name. They were great jokers, and a game was always being played on one or another of the members.

Cockran, as the story goes, had a smart office boy. Whenever the budding orator was out, the lad told all callers that his employer was "in the supreme court." At that time the walls of that august tribunal had not often re-echoed to the young lawyer's eloquence, and the office boy's answer to all callers used to bring a broad smile to the faces of those who knew the exact condition of things.

One day there walked into Mr. Cockran's office a well dressed man, affecting a very business-like air. The boy sized him up as he inquired for Mr. Cockran, gave the usual "supreme court!" in reply to the query, and resumed his paper-covered novel.

"I'm very sorry," said the caller; "as I have a big case in which I wanted to retain him as counsel, and came prepared to pay him a $5,000 retainer."

This aroused the boy's interest. He inquired the name of the caller and the business he desired Mr. Cockran to attend to, and added that if it was so important as all that he would go over to the court and notify Mr. Cockran. But the would-be client evaded the boy's interrogations and departed, saying that he would call again.

Soon after Mr. Cockran came in. He had been killing time, talking politics with a few friends around the corner. He had hardly got inside the door before the lad told him of the caller and the $5,000 fee. Mr. Cockran's keen regrets may well be imagined, particularly when they moved him to confide to a few friends his unfortunate experience. Among his confidants was John R. Fellowes, who, with the orator's other friends, sympathized with him in a most heartfelt way.

One day when Mr. Cockran was busy with a client in walked John R. Fellowes. The office boy received him with great cordiality, inviting him to a seat, and saying that Mr. Cockran would see him very soon. Then, opening the door of Mr. Cockran's room, the boy whispered to him that the man with the $5,000 fee was outside waiting to see him. Cockran hurried out, and—well, there was a laugh that shook the walls.—[M. E. Hennessey, in Donahue's Magazine.

## OUR SPORTING BLOOD GETS TOO WARM.

Is there not a certain defect of gayety in contemporary sport? We Americans seem, nowadays, to take ours excessively hard. We take some of our soberer matters very easily. We giggle over heresy trials, and have endless patience for the shortcomings of politicians; but we hold our breath over the reports of football games and yacht races, and lose our sleep over intricacies in the management of those events. We worried nearly as much last September over the international yacht races as our fathers did a generation ago over Mason and Slidell and the affair of the Trent.

Let us common people, who do not claim the lofty title of sportsmen, endeavor to look on at sport with somewhat more equanimity and take it easier in all its forms. If it is not enjoyable, let us try to ignore it and amuse ourselves with croquet and "one old cat" and simple diversions that we can understand. If sport cannot take care of itself, so far as it concerns us, let us let it go to the dogs, and stay with the dogs until it is fit for better company. They say we spoiled the yacht races because we would persist in crowding in to see them. They say we have injured football by precipitate curiosity of the same sort. It is a pity to subject ourselves to such complaints.

There is a disease that is vulgarly (very vulgarly) known as "the big head." If the great mass of us pay too much attention to sport it seems straightway to get "the big head;" players and contestants of various sorts swell over night into representatives of the American people; sportsmen of recognized standing tower up so high that mere statesmen are dwarfed beside them. When that sort of thing happens sport gets empty and tiresome, runs to rhetoric and newspaper interviews and argument, and gets to be a burden and an annoyance. When it comes to that let us put it out of our minds and go about our other business.—[From "The Point of View," in the November Scribner's.

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To take orders for MARION HARLAND'S NEW BOOK, "Home of the Bible," rare, radiant and charming. Hundreds of new photos: lands, scenes, people and places. Story of travel in the Holyland, portrayed for the first time by a woman's pen. **Buyers plenty.** Over 20 million people constantly read Marion Harland's books, and every one of them will want a copy of this great, new work. **Goods shipped on credit.** One agent in New York has sold 189 copies in a little over one week's time; 40 copies in one day; 10 copies in one hour; 3 in one house; to 15 houses in succession. He has cleared as high as $50.00 in a single day. The secret of his success is here, he has a good thing, and **price the lowest ever known.** Don't fail to send at once for illustrated samples and full particulars. Address **Historical Publishing Co., Philadelphia.**

**GENERAL WANTS.**

WANTED—Fish smacks, with crew, to fish at Pensacola, Fla. Address Box 412.

**WANTED.**

Horses to Board for Winter.

Large, light, well-ventilated box stalls, 11x16 feet. Spring water. Best of care. Paddocks for exercising. Horses met at Wickford Landing, Wickford, on 24 hours' notice. Correspondence and inspection invited. Address Locust Hollow Farm, East Greenwich, R. I.

**LOST AND FOUND.**

LOST—A lower set of false teeth. Finder will be suitably rewarded upon returning to Box 11, Daily News Office.

LOST—Green cardcase, initials C. S. The finder will receive $2 reward on returning to Victor Sorchan, Yznaga avenue.

LOST Tuesday, a brown-covered order book. Finder will be suitably rewarded upon returning to Box 12, Daily News Office.

**TENEMENTS, FURNISHED ROOMS AND BOARD.**

TO LET—Tenement at 4 Elm street, six nice rooms with city water, at a reasonable price. Apply 4 Elm street.

TO LET—Nice cottage, situated on Kilburn court. Possession given Nov. 1. Apply Barker Brothers, 2 Kilburn court.

FOR RENT—Cottage on Anthony street, in good repair; city water. Apply on the premises.

**FOR SALE.**

For Sale, Very Cheap, a Black Donkey,

For want of use. Perfectly broken; safe for any child to drive. Call at any time at the stable of Miss Gibert, Bellevue avenue.

FOR SALE.

One Climax Hot Water Incubator in perfect order, cost $40, will sell for $20. One stack good hay, about 7½ tons. O. K. Poultry Yards, So. Portsmouth, R. I.

**FOR RENT.**

EXCELLENT LAND FOR RENT,

Suitable for pasturage or cultivation, stable included, situated on Harrison avenue. Apply through P. O. Box 433.

**PIANOS AND ORGANS.**

I have changed my residence to 292 Broadway. Orders sent by mail or left at house will receive prompt attention.

ALBERT P. CRANDALL.

Piano Tuning and Regulating.

**A Wholesale Slaughter!**

Rather than carry them over to another season, I have marked all my fishing poles down to cost price. Now is your chance for a choice pole at cost.

John Vars,

126 Thames Street, Young's Block.

**BARGAINS!**

**An Upright Piano,**

IN FINE CONDITION.

**For $125.**

Those parties that have been looking for such a piano will find this a rare bargain.

**A Square Piano for $50.**

**John Rogers,**

210 THAMES STREET.

**J. A. & H. H. BARKER,**

Successors to Barker & Martin,

**Meats, Poultry and Game.**

Also Tongues, Lard, Eggs, Etc.

☞ Fruit and Vegetables in their season.

346 and 348 Thames Street.

Newport, R. I.

Connected by telephone.

## THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26, 8 A. M.—For New England—Fair, followed by showers in northern portions; warmer; southwesterly winds, increasing in force.

FOR BOSTON AND VICINITY.

BOSTON, Oct. 26, 8 A. M.—For Boston and vicinity until Sunday night—Fair today; warmer Sunday, and probably fair; westerly winds.

WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

Although the weather this morning is fair in nearly all parts of the country, there is a very decided depression central around Lake Superior, where the barometer registers as low as 29.35 inches. Clouds are general in the lake region and the Northeast, but the precipitation thus far reported is trifling. The disturbance will probably pursue a course toward the St. Lawrence gulf, influencing the weather in northern New England, but hardly changing the present conditions in this immediate vicinity. After the passage of the low barometer pleasant weather is in prospect, no further storm development being visible. The decided drop in the temperature in the Eastern states last night will give way to an area of warmer air advancing in the upper valleys. The coolest of record this morning within the United States is 28 degrees, at Northfield, Vt., and the mercury registers at or below the freezing point over a large part of the Northeast. Moderate westerly winds are reported on the coast. J. W. SMITH, Local Forecast Official.

LOCAL CONDITIONS.

| Oct. 26 | 8 A. M. | 12 M. | 2 P. M. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Temperature, | 46 | 61 | 65 |
| Barometer, | 30.10 | 30.10 | 30.00 |
| Wind, | NW | SE | SW |
| Weather, | Fair | Fair | Fair |

MINIATURE CALENDAR.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26.

Sun rises ........ 6 h 11 m
Sun sets ........ 4 h 46 m
Moon sets P. M. ........ – h — m
Length of day ........ 10 h 35 m
Day's decrease ........ 4 h 42 m
High water ........ 2 h 05 m A. M.; 2 h 11 m P. M.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27.

Sun rises ........ 6 h 12 m
Sun sets ........ 4 h 44 m
Moon sets A. M. ........ 0 h 07 m
Length of day ........ 10 h 32 m
Day's decrease ........ 4 h 45 m
High water ........ 3 h 07 m A. M.; 3 h 10 m P. M.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 28.

Sun rises ........ 6 h 13 m
Sun sets ........ 4 h 43 m
Moon sets A. M. ........ 1 h 09 m
Length of day ........ 10 h 30 m
Day's decrease ........ 4 h 47 m
High water ........ 3 h 58 m A. M.; 4 h 12 m P. M.

Moon's Phases.

Full Moon, Nov. 2, 10 h 18 m, A. M., W.
Last Quarter, Nov. 9, 6 h 6 m, P. M., F.
New Moon, Nov. 16, 0 h 12 m, P. M., W.
First Quarter, Nov. 24, 2 h 19 m, A. M., W.

NEW TODAY.

[NO OLD ADVERTISEMENTS ARE LISTED HERE.]

Wanted—Girls: 4th page.
Wanted—Waitress: 4th page.
For Sale—Donkey: 4th page.
Real Estate at Auction: 8th page.
John Rogers—Bargains: 4th page.
Phil Stevens—Look at This! 2d page.
Wanted—Situation by Cook: 4th page.
W. K. R. Holm—Underwear: 1st page.
Walsh Brothers—Coal Hods: 5th page.
Commerford—"A Sure Thing!" 1st page.
Mortgagee's Sale of Land, etc.: 8th page.
John Vars—Wholesale Slaughter: 4th page.
J. H. Barney, Jr., & Co.—Tuning: 8th page.
Wanted—Situation for Housework: 4th page.
American and Red Star S. S. Lines: 7th page.
C. Sherman & Co.—Boss Baking Powder: 2d page.

**Changes of advertisements cannot well be made after 11 o'clock in the morning.**

**To Let**

A store for the winter on Bellevue avenue at a very moderate rent.

WINTER HOUSES.

Cottage 21 Brinley street.
Cottage Bliss road and Whitehall st.
Cottage 46 Howard avenue.
Unfurnished house 20 Franklin street.

**For Sale**

Lot 30x100, Webster street, 700.

A. P. BAKER.

NOTICES.

**Notice to Middletown Tax Payers.**

The collector of taxes for the town of Middletown, R. I., will be at the National Exchange Bank in Newport on Saturday October 12, 1895 and each following Saturday till Dec. 2d, 1895, from 9 A. M. to 12 M. for the purpose of receiving the town and poll taxes assessed May, 1895. By a vote of the electors of the town all taxes unpaid by the first Monday in December 1895, will bear interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum until collected by law. Checks may be sent to P. O. Box 83, Newport, R. I.

JOEL PECKHAM, Collector.

**MISS TOWNSEND**

Desires to inform her patrons and all others interested in

**MASSAGE**

and remedial movements, that she is prepared to give scientific treatment and careful attention to all consulting her. Refers by permission to Dr. Douglas Graham of Boston, Mass. Address 15 Rhode Island avenue, Newport, R. I.

**NOTICE.**

On and after Nov. 1, and till April 1, my shop will close every evening at 7:30 o'clock, except Wednesday, 9, Saturday 11:30 o'clock.

PUSEY A. PEER, JR.

WE ARE CONSTANTLY ADDING TO OUR STOCK OF

**Fine Canned Goods,**

Of which we have already a choice line to select from. This week we are showing the highest quality of

**CALIFORNIA FRUITS**

That is brought East, and at a price as low as the cheaper grades have always been sold for. If you want a nice article for your table it will pay you to look at these goods.

**C. W. CORBETT & CO.**

**Superfluous Hair, Moles, Etc.,**

Removed by the electric needle. A safe and sure cure guaranteed by Mrs. Isabel B. Dawley, the electric needle specialist, formerly with Mrs. Ellyn J. Blake of Boston. Treatment given at the patient's home if desired. Address 5 Durfee avenue, Fall River, Mass. Office hours 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

**American Gardens AND Gardening.**

A monthly publication, devoted to the Gardens, Trees, Vines and Flowers of Newport, and to General Horticulture. Illustrated with original engravings. Price $2 a year. Single copies 20c.

LUCIUS D. DAVIS, Editor and Proprietor.

## FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26, Wall street, Opening [illegible] Canada Southern, 55¼; Chicago, Burlington & [illegible] Quincy, 86; Erie, 13¼; Louisville & Nashville [illegible] Pacific Mail, 30¾; Southern Pacific, [illegible] 104⅞; Tennessee Coal, 33⅜; Leather [illegible] Western Union, 91⅛.

Closing—Money on call, 2 @ 2½ per cent. [illegible] mercantile paper, 5½ @ 6 per cent.; exchange [illegible] with actual rates at $4.87½ @ ⅝ for sixty days, $4.88¾ @ ⅞ for demand; posted rates, [illegible] commercial bills, $4.86¼ @ $4.87; bar silver [illegible] government bonds, steady; 4s, reg., 111 [illegible] 111¾; railroad bonds, higher; Pacific [illegible] The feature of the stock market today [illegible] was the pressure against the Industrials [illegible] of which sold at the lowest figure of the [illegible] Sugar fell to 103¾, Chicago Gas to [illegible] preferred to 70⅝, Lead to 32⅛, and Tobacco [illegible] The railway list yielded ½ to 1½ per cent [illegible] moderate sales. Speculation closed weak [illegible]

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—The weekly statement of the associated banks shows the following [illegible] Reserve—Increase, $1,303,525; loans [illegible] $1,827,500; specie—increase, $1,2[illegible]; legal tenders—decrease, $308,000; deposits—[illegible] 900; circulation—decrease, $80,900. The [illegible] hold $16,689,700 in excess of the twenty-five per cent. rule.

NEW YORK, [illegible]

| Stock | Closing |
|---|---|
| Atchison | [illegible] |
| Canadian Pacific | [illegible] |
| Canada Southern | [illegible] |
| Chicago & Alton | [illegible] |
| Chicago & Alton preferred | [illegible] |
| Chicago, Burlington & Quincy | [illegible] |
| C., C., C. & St. Louis | [illegible] |
| C., C., C. & St. Louis preferred | [illegible] |
| Cotton Oil Certificates | [illegible] |
| Delaware & Hudson | [illegible] |
| Delaware & Lackawanna | [illegible] |
| Denver & Rio Grande | [illegible] |
| Denver & Rio Grande preferred | [illegible] |
| Erie | [illegible] |
| Erie preferred | [illegible] |
| Illinois Central | [illegible] |
| Kansas & Texas | [illegible] |
| Lake Shore | [illegible] |
| Lead Trust | [illegible] |
| Louisville & Nashville | [illegible] |
| Michigan Central | [illegible] |
| Missouri Pacific | [illegible] |
| New Jersey Central | [illegible] |
| North American | [illegible] |
| Northern Pacific | [illegible] |
| Northern Pacific First preferred | [illegible] |
| Northwestern | [illegible] |
| Northwestern preferred | [illegible] |
| New York Central | [illegible] |
| New York & New England | [illegible] |
| Ontario & Western | [illegible] |
| Oregon Navigation | [illegible] |
| Pacific Mail | [illegible] |
| Peoria, Decatur & Evansville | [illegible] |
| Reading | [illegible] |
| Rock Island | [illegible] |
| St. Paul | [illegible] |
| St. Paul preferred | [illegible] |
| St. Paul, M. & Man | [illegible] |
| Omaha | [illegible] |
| Omaha preferred | [illegible] |
| Sugar Trust | [illegible] |
| Sugar Trust preferred | [illegible] |
| Texas Pacific | [illegible] |
| Union Pacific | [illegible] |
| Wabash | [illegible] |
| Wabash preferred | [illegible] |
| Western Union | [illegible] |
| U. S. Cordage | [illegible] |
| U. S. Cordage preferred | [illegible] |
| Duluth | [illegible] |
| Duluth preferred | [illegible] |
| Gen. Elec | [illegible] |
| U. S. Rubber | [illegible] |
| U. S. Rubber preferred | [illegible] |

BOSTON EXCHANGE.

BOSTON, [illegible]

| Stock | Closing |
|---|---|
| Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe | [illegible] |
| Boston & Albany | [illegible] |
| Boston & Lowell | [illegible] |
| Boston & Maine | [illegible] |
| Boston & Providence | [illegible] |
| Chicago, Burlington & Quincy | [illegible] |
| Fitchburg preferred | [illegible] |
| Old Colony | [illegible] |
| Pullman Palace Car | [illegible] |
| West End Railway | [illegible] |
| West End Railway preferred | [illegible] |
| American Bell Telephone | [illegible] |
| New England Telephone | [illegible] |
| Erie Telephone | [illegible] |
| Boston Land | [illegible] |
| Lamson | [illegible] |
| U. S. Rubber | [illegible] |
| U. S. Rubber preferred | [illegible] |
| Boston & Montana | [illegible] |
| Calumet & Hecla | [illegible] |
| Franklin Mining Co | [illegible] |
| Kearsarge Mining | [illegible] |
| Osceola Mining Co | [illegible] |
| Quincy | [illegible] |
| Tamarack Mining Co | [illegible] |
| Tamarack Jr | [illegible] |

Another week of inactivity in the stock [illegible] Indeed, the dullness seems to have increased [illegible] small outside interest becomes gradually [illegible] even the "room traders" are becoming [illegible] most conspicuous feature of the market [illegible] susceptibility to events and influences [illegible] ordinarily affect prices and especially to [illegible] of a favorable character. During the [illegible] instance, the coal companies have advanced [illegible] price of anthracite sixty cents a ton and [illegible] for carrying it has also been raised, and [illegible] has been no corresponding movement [illegible] prices of the Coalers. This abatement of [illegible] on the part of capitalists associated [illegible] roads seems to have become a feature [illegible] road financiers for at least the time [illegible] whatever may have caused it, there [illegible] doubt that it has had its influence [illegible] producing the present dullness of the market [illegible] tain other movements have been favorable [illegible] as the increasing exports of wheat and [illegible] negotiation by the Pennsylvania railroad [illegible] will send to Europe a large amount of [illegible] an improvement in the net earnings of [illegible] as compared with last year; and yet these [illegible] happen without any improving effect [illegible] market and with no increase in speculation. [Henry Clews.

**A. O'D. TAYLOR**

OFFERS FOR SALE

1. House and lot on Thames street.
2. House and lot on Thames street.
3. House and lot on West street.
4. House and lot on Prospect Hill street.
5. House and lot on Spring street.
6. House and lot on Bridge street.
7. House and lot on Second street.
8. House and lot on Redwood street.
9. House and lot on Bath road.
10. House and lot on Houston avenue.

(Some of these are double-tenement houses [illegible] are the best for investment. Can supply [illegible] mortgage to aid purchaser.)

Office, 124 Bellevue avenue.

DIED.

GROFF—In this city, 25th inst., Mary A[illegible] daughter of Joanna G. and the late [illegible] Groff, in the [illegible]th year of her age. The funeral will take place from the [illegible] tist Church tomorrow (Sunday) after[illegible] o'clock.

ANGSTROM—In Toronto, 20th inst., H[illegible] wife of Arendt Angstrom and daughter [illegible] Lawton of this city.

BENNETT—In Providence, 25th inst., Henry [illegible] nett, in his 61th year.

LEWIS—In Richmond, 23d inst., Thomas [illegible] in his 83d year.

MILLER—In Providence, 25th inst., Elizabeth [illegible] widow of James Miller, in her [illegible]th year.

KENT—In Pawtucket, 25th inst., Maria [illegible] Orrin Kent, in her 85th year.

**ROBERT C. COTTRELL, Undertaker** [illegible] **Embalmer, 322 & 324 Thames Street.** [illegible] **104 Mill street.** Telephone at office and residence.

Dr. Siegert's Angostura Bitters, the most [illegible] stimulant to excite the appetite, keeps the digestive organs in order.

**SIMEON HAZARD**

OFFERS FOR SALE

A House and Lot, Bellevue avenue.
B House and Lot, Thames street.
C House and Lot, Thames street.
D House and Large Lot, Pelham street.
E House and Lot, Spring street.
F House and Lot, Prospect Hill street.
G House and Lot, Bridge street.

Special bargain on Thames street, STORE [illegible]

1 Cottage and Lot, Tilley avenue.
2 Cottage and Lot, near Cranston avenue.
3 Cottage and Lot, Sheffield avenue.
4 Cottage and Lot, Bliss road.
5 Cottage and Lot, Third street.
6 Cottage and Lot, Third street.
7 Cottage and Lot, Cranston street.

(Can furnish money on mortgages to purchasers.)

Office, 94 Broadway.

# BY TELEGRAPH

TO THE UNITED PRESS.

SPECIAL WIRE TO THE NEWS.

## ASCRIBED TO AN ENGLISH SOURCE.

### Russian Diplomats Discredit the Reported Treaty with China.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Officials of the Russian embassy here say they attach not the slightest importance to the Hong Kong despatch published in the Times yesterday, asserting that an important treaty of great advantage to Russia had been concluded between that empire and China. At the embassy the statements contained in the despatch are ascribed to an English source.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—The Standard says that it finds it difficult to believe that the alleged treaty between China and Russia has been negotiated. Probably something of the kind is meditated, and the statement is floated as a *ballon d'essai*. Anyhow, the suggested arrangement could not be allowed to stand, nor would there be any delay or hesitation in acquainting those concerned of the utter futility of the project.

## "JUSTICE MUST REMAIN JUSTICE."

### Emperor William Lays the Corner-Stone of a New Court Building.

LEIPSIC, Oct. 26.—Emperor William was received with great enthusiasm as he drove through the decorated streets, lined with people, on his arrival this morning to lay the corner-stone of the new building to be occupied by the law courts. The weather was brilliant. The ceremony of laying the corner-stone began at 12 o'clock, in the presence of a large gathering of dignitaries. Prince Hohenlohe read a historical record, which was placed within the corner-stone. The Kaiser, with the words, "In the name of the Holy Trinity," tapped the stone with a hammer, adding: "Justice must remain justice." The King of Saxony and other exalted personages afterwards tapped the stone, and the chief justice of the high court delivered a speech, expressing thanks to the emperor and the other eminent persons who had taken part in the ceremony. The speech of the chief justice was concluded with cheers for the emperor and the King of Saxony. The emperor and the king then made a tour of the court building, and the various judges were introduced to them. Later more than two hundred guests were entertained at luncheon at Chief Justice Von Oelschlager's house. The emperor took his departure on a train for Berlin at 2.30 P. M.

### Bids Asked for Powder for Sea Coast and Seige Guns.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—The bureau of ordnance, War Department, has invited bids for furnishing 530,700 pounds of powder for the sea coast and siege guns. The ammunition is to be delivered at the powder depot, Dover, N. J., and the Benicia arsenal, California.

### New York Fire Insurance Company Restrained from Dissolving.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Judge Patterson, in the supreme court, has granted leave to Attorney General Hancock to bring an action against the New York Mutual Fire Insurance Company, to restrain it and its officers from exercising any of their corporate rights for the dissolution of the company and for the appointment of a receiver, on the ground that the company had failed to pay in cash to the insurance department $19,000, as required by law.

### Death of the Wife of Ambassador Eustis.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—A cablegram was received here this morning, announcing the sudden death, from heart failure and pneumonia, of the wife of Ambassador James E. Eustis, at the residence of her son, George Eustis, at Ratoath, near Dublin, Ireland, this morning.

Mrs. Eustis was the eldest daughter of the one-time cotton king Buckner of New Orleans, her brothers being prominent residents of that city. Three children survive, the eldest, Newton, being second secretary of the embassy at Paris. She was famed for her beauty and brilliant attainments, and up to a few weeks ago was in excellent health.

### Fire Losses.

GLASSBORO, N. J., Oct. 26.—The Whitney glass works, at this place, were destroyed by fire shortly after 2 o'clock this morning, entailing a loss of $100,000; insurance not known.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 26.—Several frame houses on Carroll street, Woodbury, were burned this morning, causing a loss of about $25,000; insurance small.

### Chinese Decorations Conferred.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 26.—The Emperor of China has conferred the order of the double dragon of the first grade of the third class upon M. Shishkin, assistant foreign minister. Count Kapliet, director of the Asiatic department, receives the same order in the first class of the second grade, and M. Lissiwski, vice director of the Asiatic department, the double dragon of the second grade, third class.

### Washed Overboard and Drowned.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 26.—Schooner Bessie M. Wells, from Grand Bank, reports speaking schooner George Campbell, which reported that Samuel Bowes, a member of her crew and a native of Newfoundland, was washed overboard and drowned.

### The Record of Deaths.

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 26.—Rev. Edward Alfred Smith, a member of the Yale corporation, died suddenly of heart disease this morning at his home at 100 Elm street. He was born in East Woodstock July 22, 1825, and was graduated at Yale University in 1850, among his classmates being Chauncey M. Depew and Justices Brown and Brewer of the United States Supreme Court. After being ordained, Mr. Smith had charge of a church in Chester, Mass., and was pastor of the Congregational church in Farmington, Conn., from 1874 to 1886. He was made a member of the Yale corporation in 1887.

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 26.—John M. Farnham, inventor of the Farnham type-setting machine, died in this city last night, aged seventy-six years. He was born in Charleston, Vt., and was a skilful mechanic and inventor. About fifteen years ago he invented the Farnham type-setting machine, which was afterwards perfected as the Paige machine at Chicago. Mr. Farnham leaves one daughter, the wife of P. J. Darcy, health inspector of this city.

SALEM, Mass., Oct. 26.—Edward H. Payson, for sixty-seven years cashier of the First National Bank and for the past five years cashier emeritus, died this morning, at the age of ninety-three years. He was born in Roxbury and as a lad came to Salem, beginning life as a clerk in a broker's office, leaving that position to enter the Commercial bank, which later become the First National Bank. He was prominent in the North Unitarian parish, and leaves a son and a daughter.

PAWTUCKET, Oct. 26.—Oren S. Horton, superintendent of street lights, died at his home here this morning, aged seventy-three years. He was a prominent Mason, Knight Templar and Shriner, and a member of other secret societies, and had been a representative in the legislature. He leaves a wife, a daughter and three sons.

QUINCY, Mass., Oct. 26.—Hugh McPhail, a wellknown citizen of Quincy, dropped dead of heart failure at his residence on Hancock street this morning. He was sixty years of age and leaves a widow and three daughters.

## WILLING TO VOTE.

### Mansfield, Mass., Women March in a Body to Register.

MANSFIELD, Mass., Oct. 26.—A petition for signatures was circulated in Mansfield by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of the town, expressing a willingness on the part of the signers to register and vote at the coming state election upon the question: "Is it expedient that municipal suffrage be granted to women?" This petition was signed by one hundred women of the town, and they gathered at Fessenden Hall, the headquarters of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, this afternoon, and in a body, two by two, marched to the registrar's office and registered their names, after which they returned to the headquarters and became the guests of the white ribboners for the afternoon. An earnest address was made by the president of the union, calling on the women to be faithful in their voting as they had been in their registering.

### Cleveland's Chief Executive Clerk to Go into Newspaper Work.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—Mr. Robert L. O'Brien of Massachusetts, who during the last campaign acted as Mr. Cleveland's stenographer, and who has since Mr. Cleveland's election been rated on the White House books as principal executive clerk, has resigned to become the Washington correspondent of the Boston Evening Transcript.

### Epidemic of Diphtheria in an Indiana Town.

MUNCIE, Ind., Oct. 26.—An epidemic of diphtheria is raging in Yorktown, six miles south of this city. Out of a population of three hundred, fifty-four are or were sick, and eighteen deaths have occurred. The school has been closed for six weeks, and little or no business is being transacted.

## LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Mr. F. P. Garrettson has returned from New York.

—Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Coats are guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. King.

—Schooner N. H. Skinner is in, with coal for Pittinger & Manchester.

—Fishing schooner Frederick Gerring is hauled out at Crowley's for repairs.

—Mrs. Hamilton Rowan has gone to Pomfret Centre, Conn., for a few weeks.

—Mrs. Cross, wife of Captain Cross of the British army, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Francis O. French, at "Harbourview."

## OVERBOARD IN THE HARBOR.

Though last evening was a pleasant one, the weather conditions were not exactly such as most people would have selected for taking a bath, yet five fishermen were picked out of the harbor. A company of three tried the trick off Commercial wharf, and Officer Shea, his brother and Mr. J. K. Sullivan officiated in the role of life savers. Two of the men were taken to the Police Station to dry, outside and in. Two more bathers were taken out at Reynolds's dock, alongside tug Aquidneck, by Messrs. Walter Hanley, R. O'Neill and W. Martin. The fishermen had come down with a barrel about half full of meat and vegetables. After one man had entered the dory the other tossed in the barrel and followed himself. The shock was too much even for a fisherman's dory, and everything went over. The party had to obtain a new supply of provisions after being dried off.

## IMPROVING THE COE ESTATE.

This morning workmen began preparations for excavating a cellar on the Coe estate on Thames street, for the new building which Messrs. Horgan and Newton are to erect. As soon as the two trees in front, the last reminiscence of old-time life in this section of the street, are cut down, the cellar will be dug. The building will be about 34 feet front by 70 deep, and three stories high. It will have a fancy front, chiefly of iron and glass, be of wood and be fitted for business purposes. The work has been delayed until now as the owners were not willing to block Thames street during the summer. The beginning of this building takes the Coe estate out of the list of eligible sites for the new city hall, but Messrs. Newton and Horgan could not afford to have weeds grow in their front yard until the city should make up its mind where that new city hall is to be built. The new building will not extend back to the big trees in front of the engineer office, but it will probable cause the office to move to new quarters.

## JAMESTOWN.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

Mr. James M. Wilcox, whose death was reported in Philadelphia yesterday, was a large property owner in Jamestown and for many years occupied his summer cottage on Union street, until failing health prevented him from coming here. He owned property at the Dumplings, and on Clinton avenue, and was part owner of the Potter farm at Potter's point. His cottage on Union street was occupied the past season by his widowed daughter-in-law and her family. His youngest daughter is the wife of the son of the late Daniel Dougherty, who was known as the silver tongued orator of America.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Eben N. Tefft for the marriage, November 6, of their son, Job Weeden Tefft, to Miss Adelaide Dawson Frazier. The ceremony will be performed at St. Matthew's Church at 12:30 o'clock, and a reception will be given at the home of the parents of Mr. Tefft from 8 to 10 P. M. Miss Frazier is daughter of the late Alexander and Sarah Frazier and granddaughter of the late George W. Wales.

Judge P. L. Wickes and family of Baltimore closed their cottage today and returned home. Upon arriving in New York they will take a private car on the Baltimore & Ohio road, which will take them through to their destination.

## MISS VANDERBILT'S WEDDING.

### The Gown in Which the Future Duchess is To Be Married.

Beyond the few details of the wedding of Miss Consuelo Vanderbilt to the Duke of Marlborough printed from time to time, there is at present very little to say, for the reason that the plans are not entirely completed.

As has been before stated, the duke's best man will be his cousin, Hon. Ivor Guest, eldest son of Lord Wimborne, who has been here about five weeks, but the entire list of ushers is not yet completed. However, among those who will act in that capacity are Messrs. Reginald Ronalds, Mr. R. T. Wilson, Jr., and Mr. Brockholst Cutting. No one will come over from England especially to act in that capacity. The Duke of Marlborough will give a farewell bachelor dinner during the coming week, but he has not yet mentioned the time or place.

Miss Vanderbilt's bridesmaids will be Miss Marie Winthrop, Miss Evelyn Burden, Miss Kittie Duer, Miss Elsa Bronson, Miss Daisy Post, Miss May Goelet and Miss Julia Jay, who have already been mentioned, and in addition to these Miss Morton, eldest daughter of Governor Morton.

There will be an elaborate musical program, and besides the organ music by Mr. George William Warren, long organist of St. Thomas's, and the harpist, Toulmin, the regular harpist of the church, the Symphony Orchestra, under the leadership of Walter Damrosch, will be stationed in the north gallery of the church.

The floral decoration of the church and of Mrs. Vanderbilt's house has been entrusted to Mr. Rawlins Cottenet. The scheme of color and design has not been absolutely decided upon.

The Duke of Marlborough is to follow up the English custom in his marriage to the American heiress, and will give each bridesmaid a souvenir of the happy event in addition to the scarf pins which he will give to his best man and ushers. The character of these souvenirs has not yet been disclosed.

Of predominating interest is the bride's trousseau, the greater part of which will not come to New York, and which is being made by several of the famous dressmakers of Paris. These gowns will be sent to Blenheim. The very important gown of the trousseau, the bridal gown, has been made in New York by Mme. Donovan. The satin is of a peculiar creamy tint, a trifle deeper than ivory, and matching perfectly the rare point lace flouncing, twelve inches deep, with which it is trimmed. This combines the patterns known as point d'Angleterre and point applique. Without cutting, this flounce is arranged in four horizontal rows across the front and sides of the skirt, entirely concealing the satin, and crossing the flounces diagonally on the right side is a long spray of orange blossoms. The front of the corsage is draped with chiffon, gathered very full from the neck to belt, and covered in turn with a deep fall of the lace, gathered into a high stock collar covered with the same rare lace and hanging thence unconfined to the satin girdle. Triple revers of the lace project over the enormously full sleeves, which are pleated into the armhole, and cut in gauntlet style below the elbow, without trimming of any sort. A spray of orange blossoms is fastened on the left shoulder.

The most distinctive feature of the gown, however, is the court train, five yards in length, which is fastened to the shoulders some five inches below the neck band. This, which falls in double box pleats from top to bottom, is bordered down both sides and across the lower edge with a two-inch-wide embroidery of pearls and silver, representing rose leaves tied together at intervals with a true lover's knot. The veil to be worn with this gown is of exceedingly fine Brussels net and will be fastened with a half coronet of orange blossoms.

Without the immense court train the bridal gown would appear extremely simple. The train is the regulation length prescribed for the presentation at the court of St. James and the gown will be one in which the future Duchess of Marlborough will be presented to the queen, when, of course, she will have to wear a decollete body, which is absolutely necessary at court presentations. In all probability Miss Vanderbilt will not wear any jewels at her marriage.

The bridesmaids' gowns are of pure white satin, completed with broad girdles and sashes of ciel-blue satin ribbon, almost a duplicate in color of that used in Mrs. Vanderbilt's gown. Although the exact model after which they will be designed has not yet been settled, it has been decided that the skirts will be short and quite plain, and that chiffon will be used for trimming. Each bridesmaid will also wear a large hat of royal blue velvet, broad-brimmed, and with a full gathered bell-shaped crown, encircled with ciel-blue satin ribbon, finished on the right side with a chiffon rosette of the same color. Trimming the left side are six large pale blue ostrich tips and a white aigrette, and where the brim turns sharply up in the back there are fastened full bows of the blue satin ribbon.

That portion of the lingerie designated as the "bridal suit" is chiefly remarkable for the exquisite quality of the linen cambric employed. The peignoir, Marie Antoinette in design, is tucked back and front to the waist line and girdled with white satin ribbon. The broad, rolling collar and revers, the latter falling over the full sleeves and sloping to the waist line, are hand-embroidered in a rosebud design and edged with Valenciennes lace. A cuff of embroidered rosebuds, finished with a deep fall of lace, finishes the sleeves. The other garments of this particular suit are made to match, Valenciennes lace and hand embroidery only being used for trimming. The bridal corset is made of white satin, brocaded with tiny white carnations and trimmed at the upper edge with a deep pointed border of Valenciennes lace. The clasps, the large hook and the buckles on the attached stocking supporters are all of solid gold. Each of the several dozens of garments included in the outfit of lingerie is marked with the name "Consuelo" in raised embroidery.

Miss Vanderbilt has not yet decided her going-away dress, but she has several of these to choose from. In any event, it is likely to be of a neutral tint.—[New York Herald.

## BAD NEWS AND GOOD NEWS.

"There is nothing hid which shall not be revealed," says the good book. And this is especially true in these days of newspapers, interviewers, telegraphs and telephones. Not the slightest incident can occur in any part of the world but it is sent to the great disseminating centres and imparted to everybody. It applies to the actions of private individuals in the smallest and remotest hamlets as well as to the doings of emperors and all persons in official positions. Neither sex escapes it, neither John Smith nor Hepzibah Adams, especially if they meet with any misfortune, or have any matrimonial troubles. Everything which happens is "news," and instead of being confined as in the olden times to the village gossips, to the court circles, or to personal memoirs which only see the light fifty or a hundred years afterwards, it is forthwith entrusted to the press and made public. There are gossips in every community who delight in picking up every trivialty and sending it to a paper, but who are careful not to give their names. Lord Sackville-West prints some of his personal griefs in a pamphlet intended only for private circulation, and with which he says the public has nothing to do, and is amazed to find its contents summarized and given to the press, and that the public of two continents is greatly interested in it, just as they were in the famous letter which caused his retirement from public life, a return to which his recent pamphlet is not calculated to promote. It is very hard nowadays to "do good by stealth."

Many people are fond of this publicity, seek to be interviewed, and are themselves the first to furnish information about themselves. Others are of a contrary mind, either from a consciousness that their actions will not bear the light, or from a real modesty and a feeling that their private lives, so long as they do not violate any law, human or divine, are matters with which other people have nothing to do. But the thing is here, and here to stay; and people must accommodate themselves to it. There is a great deal of crime and vice in the world, which, when discovered, is inexorably given out. But there is also a great deal of goodness and charity and other virtues with which the press does not much concern itself; so that the world is, after all, far from being so bad or so corrupt as the reading of the daily records of misfortunes, casualties and crimes would lead one to suppose. Perhaps it might be well to have something like what is called an "intercepting sewer" to divert a good deal of the so-called "news" into some receptacle where it would never see the light.—[New Bedford Standard.

## THE NEW NAVY.

### Progress of the Work on Incompleted Vessels.

In these days of possible trouble with England or Spain, or both, it is well to keep an eye on the condition and capabilities of our naval fleet. From time to time the bureau of construction makes up a statement of the progress effected on the incompleted ships, and before the Secretary closes his annual report he receives also any detailed information on the same subject. Chief Constructor Hichborn has recently taken such an account of stock, so to phrase it, and the results are of interest as showing what may be expected of the new fleet.

As the Maine and the Texas are now regularly in commission, the uncompleted division starts with the great 10,288-ton battleships. Of this splendid trio, the Indiana is so nearly ready that she is expected to be commissioned within the next ten days or two weeks. Indeed, if needed, she could go to sea at once. She has, too, all her main battery aboard, and one hundred thousand pounds of powder are ready to be stored in her magazines. There is a decided relief in having this fine fighting ship, in addition to the Maine and the Texas, ready for service.

The Massachusetts and the Oregon are estimated at 91 and 93.5 per cent. completed, respectively. The former has already in position some of her lighter guns, and the 6-inch rifles of her main battery, and the 13-inch and 8-inch will be mounted during the next two months or so, after which she will have her trial, and soon thereafter will be ready for sea. The Oregon's battery and the armor for her uncompleted turret are expected to be in position before the end of the year. Three out of her four 13-inch guns have been sent to her, and her trial should take place in season to have her both commissioned and in regular service next spring.

The double-turret monitors are perhaps even a little further along toward completion, but as the work on them is done in the navy yards, the question of progress and haste is different, as they are subject to no time penalties. However, in case of any sudden call, work could be rushed with all the resources of the government. The Terror and the Monadnock, the former at Brooklyn and the latter at Mare Island, are respectively 97 and 96 per cent. completed. Their sister ships, the Miantonomah and the Amphitrite, the former of which has been in service for years and the latter for some months, show what may be expected of them. Far more powerful than either, and also the most advanced of the ships not completed, namely, 98 per cent., is the Puritan. With her 14-inch armor and her 12-inch rifles she will make a splendid coast defender, and as her battery is now going into place, she may be counted on for service at any required moment. Then there are the ram Katahdin and torpedo boat Ericsson, both of which would be very serviceable in case of trouble.

These eight vessels comprise those that are either practically complete or close upon completion, and it will be observed that they include no fewer than seven armorclads. We have already the armorclads New York, Monterey, Miantonomoh and Amphitrite to rely on, so that in this respect our naval resources are now becoming very respectable, especially in the way of defense. Other warships under construction are three gunboats at Newport News, cruiser Brooklyn, battleship Iowa, several torpedo boats, two being built by the Herreshoffs, and battleship Kearsarge and her unnamed mate.

## THE INDICATIONS FOR ALLISON.

It looks very much as if there were a growing feeling in the Republican party in favor of William B. Allison as its next candidate for the Presidency. The success in the nomination, as politics now is, depends so much upon management and manipulation that there is no safety in prophesying upon the subject; but there seems to be evidence that the thoughtful men of the party are turning to Allison as the safest candidate, and the man most to be relied upon not to make mistakes as President. His remarkable political sagacity, and the fact that he has been involved in no controversies and has made no enemies, contribute to this end. The elections about to be held may affect this feeling. If the Democrats are very badly defeated again, it may be deemed safe to nominate any one next year; but if the election is to be in doubt, the circumstance that Allison has no strong opposition compared with the other candidates, in the East or the West, among the silver men or anti-free-silver men, is likely to tell much in his favor. He has come more openly on the Presidential track in the last few weeks than before. He has long been really there, but these late movements indicate that he is now entered seriously and will be pushed with vigor.—[Boston Herald.


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TO THE UNITED PRESS.

SPECIAL WIRE TO THE NEWS.

## BRITISH POLITICS.

### Foreign Complications Engrossing Public Attention.

[Special cable letter.]

LONDON, Oct. 26.—In the absence of home events which might furnish material for newspaper discussion, the papers supporting the government are indulging in a prolonged and bellicose chorus of comments on all the foreign happenings in which Great Britain is interested. In the meantime the government is on the eve of opening another little war. The ultimatum recently sent to the King of Ashantee, which he was given until the end of October to answer, has met with a prompt response in the negative unless there are further negotiations. Great Britain not being disposed to farther argue her demands, an expedition will start inland from the gold coast in November for Coumassie, the capital of Ashantee. The ultimatum issued by the government demands that a British agent and an armed escort reside in the capital, the demand being based on the charge that the king permits human sacrifices, contrary to his treaty obligations. The king objects to having a British agent in his dominions, believing that this would be the first step towards annexation. None of the English papers have a word to say against the expedition, but the Aborigines Protective Society is beginning to raise its voice in behalf of the natives of Ashantee.

Similarly the papers are almost unanimous in their expressions with regard to the dispute with Venezuela, not only as regards reparation for the arrest of British officers but also as regards the rejection of the suggestion that the difficulty regarding the boundary be arbitrated. The papers declare that the different frontiers are due to Venezuelan aggression, and that the Schomberg line is now the minimum frontier. So far as the Monroe doctrine is concerned, Sir George Baden Powell and other Conservative members of the House of Commons have taught the press of their party an ingenious argument. The papers Wednesday last published a letter from Sir George, in which he said that Great Britain was an established American power in the West Indies and all the great Canadian dominions long before the United States came into existence, and in British Honduras and British Guiana since early in this century. British interests were domiciled in America before the United States was ever dreamed of. It is as an American power that Great Britain has the duty and privilege of working with the other American powers to enforce respect for international obligations and to promote the prosperity of those portions of the American continent for which she is responsible. The greater portion of the press, both Conservative and Liberal, is beginning to develop this idea with parrot-like complacency. The only notable hostile voice is that of the Tablet, the recognized and influential organ of the Catholics. After asking why Great Britain persists in her refusal to celebrate the questions in dispute, the Tablet today proceeds to say that, as there cannot be an independent future for a British settlement in South America, there could be no objection to allowing Venezuela to purchase the British rights. This suggestion will fall heedless on British ears, for, as the Speaker today says, the British are destined to witness a revival of jingoism, and for the moment the anti jingo party is virtually defunct.

It is understood that the £50,000 with which Timothy Healy will start a new daily paper in Dublin, in opposition to the Freeman's Journal, the organ of the anti-Parnellites, is part of the total of £200,000 which he and Messrs. Chance and O'Driscoll, ex-members of parliament, have made in the stock market in the past few months by speculation in the South African mining boom. Mr. Healy is encouraged to believe that his new venture will pay, as the Dublin Independent, the Parnell organ, which started with a capital of £37,000, is already a profitable enterprise, but the Independent has the good will and respect of the people of Dublin behind it, which is more than can be said of the venture that Mr. Healy is about to embark upon.

A society scandal is impending, which will shortly become public in the shape of a divorce petition. The husband in the case is an artist of some repute, and the co-respondent is a member of parliament who holds office in Lord Salisbury's government. He is an aide man of middle age, and his career has been a promising one. The matter is further complicated by the artist's wife transferring her affections to a well known musician. The artist withstands all the efforts that are being made to have the matter hushed up, and insists upon being legally freed from his wife.

## ASPHALT IN AMERICA.

### Extensive Deposits in This Country Beginning to be Used.

Many millions of dollars are going to be made by mining American asphalt. Today almost all we use is shipped here from abroad. Yet it is claimed that we have the best quality and the largest quantity of all countries, the problem being how to get it as cheaply. The geological survey will during the next year study the question from an economic view. A thorough chemical analysis of all American as well as foreign asphalts will be made by Dr. William C. Day, special agent, which will be the first investigation of the kind made in this country.

Yankee ingenuity has found hundreds of uses for asphalt. Paving is only one of them. One of the strongest houses in the world might be built of blocks made of hardened asphalt. These would be laid with asphalt cement. The foundation should be built upon a bed of asphalt and should be painted within and without with liquid asphalt, to prevent dampness. The walls might be lined with asphalt paper, instead of felt, the former being found a better substitute. Instead of plaster light asphalt might be put on the walls, and over it wall paper tinted with lines made with asphalt coloring. The flooring might be of glazed asphalt blocks. The gas and water pipes should be preserved by a coating of asphalt. The electric wires should be insulated by a covering of asphalt. The whole exterior might be primed with asphalt paint. The roof should be covered with asphalt water-proof liquid the tank and sink japanned with asphalt japan. The iron fence around the house should be made to shine with asphalt varnish. Leading to the asphalt avenue upon which your asphalt mansion is built, you should have paths and driveways of asphalt block paving. Your lawns may be kept green by an asphalt garden hose. While you are reading your newspaper printed with ink made of asphalt, your wife may be waxing her thread with asphalt. At the table you eat honey made in artificial combs, also of asphalt. When you drive, your carriage wheels may be lubricated with asphalt axle grease, and on returning home you may light yourself to bed with an asphalt candle.

All these various applications of asphalt are realities, as learned by the geological survey, through recent investigation. This knowledge has been collected by Mr. E. W. Parker, one of the principal statisticians. Mr. Parker says that thus far Uncle Sam's geologists have discovered asphalt deposits in fifteen of our states, including one territory. These are West Virginia, Ohio, Kentucky, California, Utah, Oklahoma, Montana, Texas, Arizona, Idaho, New Mexico, Nevada, Wyoming, Oregon and Washington. In addition, there are doubtless many other mines yet undiscovered. But four states make commercial use of their deposits—California, Kentucky, Texas and Utah. During the last year these four alone mined more than half as many tons of asphalt as were imported into America. This rate will continue to increase from year to year, until we not only supply our own wants but those of other countries.

Asphalt used for paving the streets of most of our cities comes from Trinidad. Other of our foreign asphalts come from the mainland of South America, Syria, Germany, Switzerland and France. European asphalts, Mr. Parker says, are objectionable for paving, because they contain very little gritty matter, and are slippery after hardening. America, he is positive, can produce the best asphalt in the world, both for paving and commercial purposes. That of all four of the states mentioned is found to be excellent for paving. California contains the most abundant supply of all American states, and therefore will offer the most of our native asphalt to the rapidly growing cities of the West. Trinidad asphalt, although shipped all the way from the coast of South America, is now much cheaper in the southern and eastern sections of this country than any mined by Uncle Sam.

Most of our American asphalt fit for paving is found in solid form, known as bituminous rock. This includes bituminous sandstones and limestones, found most extensively in California, but also appearing in Kentucky, Ohio, Montana and Oklahoma. They are mostly dry and solid, but readily melt when heated. They are refined to some extent before being used in paving. American asphalt varies from a liquid form to a solid rock. The liquid form found in California is used mostly for softening the harder grades put on the pavements of Western cities. It is extracted from the sea sand in a most interesting manner.

Mr. Parker says that in Utah is found the purest and most valuable asphalt in the world. This is known as Gilsonite or gum asphalt. It is very expensive, bringing the producers $35 per ton, while asphalt mined from bituminous rock costs but little more than $3 per ton. One reason why Utah Gilsonite is so expensive is because it must be hauled nearly a hundred miles to the nearest railroad.

The natural history of asphalt is still a problem before geologists. Dr. Day's analysis is expected to clear up many obscure points concerning its deeply buried mysteries. It is thought that asphalt in the pure state is formed from the pitch of trees buried in the earth far back in the ages, and heated by interior volcanic fires. Animal matter found in it has led others to the belief that it is due to animal rather than vegetable decay.

Ancient ruins have shown that asphalt is the most enduring substance which can be used in engineering. Cisterns and other works made of it in Egypt and Arabia three thousand years ago are still in good condition. The aboriginal Indians of California coated their canoe bottoms with it to make them water-tight. They also used it for cementing their stone utensils and weapons. It was never mined from the rock until less than thirty years ago, when that industry began in California.

The first modern asphalt pavements in the world were laid in Paris in 1838. The first street of the kind in London was laid eleven years later. The first application of asphalt for street paving in America was made in Washington exactly twenty-five years ago. These first streets proved worthless, because of the use of ordinary coal tar for cement. The following year Trinidad asphalt was used on small portions of the streets of New York and Philadelphia, resulting successfully. Pennsylvania avenue, Washington, was paved with it in the year of the centennial, it being the longest continuous sheet of it in America. Today if all the asphalt streets in this country were joined end to end they would make a continuous thoroughfare of the average width reaching from Montreal to the Atlanta exposition.—[Washington Star.

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October 26.

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1794—George James Danton, the famous French revolutionist, was born at Arcis-sur-Aube; guillotined at Paris April 5, 1794.

1869—Adelaide Phillips, celebrated singer, born at Stratford-upon-Avon; died 1882.

1871—Major General Robert Anderson, hero of Fort Sumter, died at Nice, Italy; born 1805.

1875—Fire destroyed property to the amount of $4,000,000 at Virginia City, Nev.

October 27.

1682—William Penn landed at Newcastle.

1728—James Cook, English navigator, was born at Marton, Yorkshire; killed in the Sandwich Islands February 14, 1779.

1818—Sir Stafford Northcote, British statesman, eminent in affairs relating to America, born in London; died 1887.

1888—Mme. Ida Pfeiffer, celebrated German traveler, died; born 1797. Mme. Pfeiffer was born Reyer. She began traveling in 1842 and passed a year in Asia Minor. Later she made a tour in Sweden, Norway and Iceland. In 1846 she started on a tour around the world and accomplished the task in about two years after many hardships and not a few dangers. She published two books descriptive of her journey and voyage around the world. A second tour began in 1851.

1864—Confederate ram Albemarle destroyed in Roanoke river by Lieutenant Cushing's torpedo.

1869—The Mississippi river steamer Stonewall burned off Cairo, Ill., and 220 passengers suffocated or drowned.

1890—A day of severe storms and high tides on the Atlantic coast; great damage done.

1894—Hon. David Wills, organizer of the National cemetery at Gettysburg, died; born 1811.

## GENERAL MILES AND THE BICYCLE.

The question of how far the bicycle can be used for military purposes is one of the most interesting now before military men. General Miles believes a whole army under certain circumstances can be maneuvered on bicycles, and he goes so far as to assert that any man who would contradict this statement has no knowledge of the maneuvres of armies on horse or on foot. Of course, an army could not swim a river, climb a mountain, or penetrate a dense forest on bicycles, but on the prairies it could move abreast, and it could defile well on the good dirt highways. The best uses the German and French armies have as yet found for bicycles are for the dispatch of couriers. For long distances, the bicycle beats the horse ten to one. While the cavalry on bicycles could attack with advantage is yet to be learned. The Greeks and Romans attacked with chariots, whose blades mowed down men and horses by wholesale, and it is possible that a bicycle might carry a sword for slashing right and left as the rider went into the attack with his gun and revolver. But it is absolutely certain that the bicycle can never entirely supersede the horse in war, and as long as there is war the horse will find his place in it. But General Miles has great faith in the military on wheel, and will have the United States army equipped with it as far as possible.—[The Illustrated American.

## DESIGN FOR A NARROW LOT.

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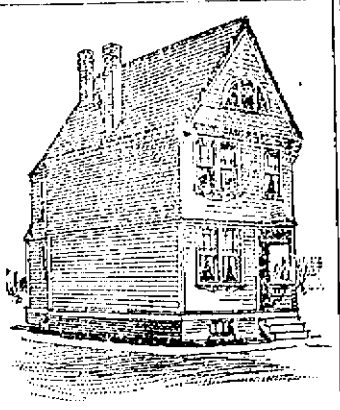
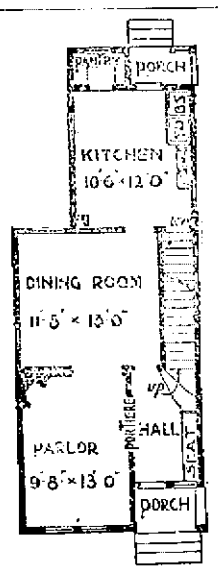


PERSPECTIVE VIEW.

To make a good neighborhood when the sub-divisions are twenty feet or under is practically an impossibility for a suburban locality, unless restrictions are made wherein only one house can be built on two or more lots. This has been done to good advantage at Bensonhurst, N. Y., and the result is the most satisfactory where three lots, or sixty feet front, are used for one structure. Any section, no matter how good the land or its location may be, sub-divided in small plots and sold without proper restrictions, will be a failure, and instead of an advancement, as improvements and buildings are made, it will recede and go backward, as it is the class of buildings erected that eventually makes the neighborhood, and the more desirable the place is the better will be the coming buildings, and the poorer they are the poorer they become. To build up a good section of small houses the improvements should be made and controlled by those holding the land, and land and houses sold together, to insure success.

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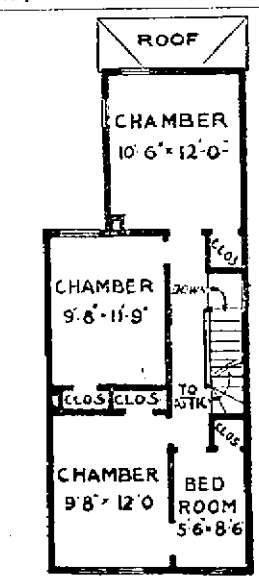


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# This Morning's News.

## HAS AN AX TO GRIND.

### Great Britain in Compact With the Spanish Government.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 26.—The member of the Cuban junta now in the northwest yesterday declared that there was a secret compact between Spain and England, which accounted for the seizures of filibustering expeditions in the Bahama islands, by which Spain is to turn over the Isla de Pines, at the southwestern end of Cuba, to England, in return for England's promise to prevent the fitting out of expeditions from her West Indian dependencies. The Isla de Pines would give England an immensely valuable naval station, commanding the only channel to the Nicaraguan canal not now controlled by England. It is also asserted that Cuba will soon have a modern navy of five vessels, under command of Admiral de Mello, the Brazilian sailor. Two ships are to come from Brazil, and one from Chili. He admits that an effort is soon to be made to float an issue of $20,000,000 of Cuban bonds.

## A YARN FROM MADRID

### Which Appears to Have Been Without a Shadow of Foundation.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—Some attention was attracted in Washington yesterday by Madrid dispatches coming via Habana alleging that the president had promised the Spanish minister to veto any action by congress favorable to the Cubans. It can be stated positively that no such promise has been made, and that such a promise would be so irregular and unprecedented as to be beyond the range of probabilities. The story can be set down as one intended to encourage the loyal element in Cuba.

Minister de Lome says he has made no report to the government to the effect that he had assurances that President Cleveland would veto any congressional resolution granting belligerent rights to the Cuban insurgents. "I have made no such report, or anything akin to it," said the minister.

He added that it must be evident to those having an intelligent understanding of the course of public affairs that no such assurances of a president's veto could be given him before legislation had been inaugurated by congress or had reached the executive branch of the government.

The minister pointed out that there is some apprehension as to his reports to his government on the question of the policy of the United States as to restoring seized arms to those suspected of being insurgents.

A cable dispatch reports the Spanish minister of foreign affairs as saying that the United States had given assurances that seized arms would not be restored to filibuster suspects until they had sued for them and had thus established their ownership.

There is evidently, Minister de Lome said, some misunderstanding of what the minister of foreign affairs said. The United States has held seized arms until proofs were offered of their ownership, but no suits were instituted. In the case of the arms taken at Wilmington, Del., they remained for nearly two months, then a shipmaster presented papers showing on their face that they were his. Senor de Lome was satisfied of the irregularity of the claim, yet as the papers made out a prima facie case of ownership the United States released the arms. Senor de Lome says he does not question the regularity of this course, although he has information convincing him that the arms ultimately got back to the filibusters.

In the case of arms taken from Cedar Keys, Fla., the marshal has published a notice that the owners must establish their rights to the arms by a given day, or else they will be forfeited to the United States. These facts indicate the policy pursued by the United States in the restoration of arms, and it is this matter which Senor de Lome has made known to the Madrid authorities.

The minister declares that the battle reported by one of the Cuban junta in Minneapolis is a mistaken version of a small skirmish which occurred a month ago, in which Maceo was reported wounded.

### From Florida.

TAMPA, Fla., Oct. 26.—Spanish papers received here from Habana say that Minister de Lome reports that the United States will soon recognize the Cuban insurgents.

### Stock is Now $15,000,000.

DOVER, Del., Oct. 26.—A certificate of the capital stock of the Bay State Gas company was filed yesterday in the office of Secretary of State Whiteman. The stock is now $15,000,000, which includes the increase of $5,000,000 granted by the last legislature.

### Three Children Cremated.

LIVINGSTON, Ala., Oct. 26.—Three small children of Granville Lancaster, a farmer, were locked in the house by their mother while she called on a neighbor. The house burned down and the children were roasted to death.

### Judge Lewis.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—The president yesterday appointed Yancey Lewis of Ardmore, I. T., United States judge for the central district of Indian Territory, to succeed Judge Stuart, resigned.

## WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW.

### Business Once More Getting Back to Its Normal Condition.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: Ten days ago gold exports seemed very near, but the break in cotton which then began ripened on Monday into a collapse sufficient to justify hope of a free movement. Hides have also dropped sharply at Chicago. Leather is weaker, and the adjustment of prices to real instead of imaginary conditions progresses rapidly. Already lower prices in iron have brought out some important contracts.

Labor difficulties, though including a strike of many Pennsylvania coal miners, who do not seem to be succeeding, are on the whole of no serious importance. Money markets cause remarkably little trouble, considering the heavy movement of products. Cooler weather has generally helped retail trade, and with increased consumption by the millions, the way will be clear for better business. Already payments through clearing houses approach for October those of the best year in history, though reflecting in part past transactions, and new orders are still much needed by the great industries.

Wheat has risen 3 cents this week, although western receipts, 7,997,061 bushels for the week, against 5,059,787 last year, continue unusually large, and Atlantic exports, including flour, 1,179,117 bushels for the week, against 1,856,934 last year, and for four weeks 5,734,572 bushels, against 9,195,046 last year, show plainly a slack demand from abroad. Russia and Argentina are both moving freely. Nobody can give a reason for higher corn, and pork declined 25 cents, lard 1-16th and hogs 10 cents per 100 pounds.

Textile manufactures have been for the moment disturbed, rather than helped, by the decline in cotton, as it checks buying of some fabrics, with lower prices for print cloths, and prospects of lower prices for other goods. The demand for worsteds and dress goods is encouraging, while in woolen goods the situation does not improve. Renewed orders are moderate, and men's goods are easy to buy at previous quotations.

Although hides have fallen fully ½ cent at Chicago and some kinds of leather are lower, quotations of boots and shoes do not change, and many factories have stopped for a time, but shipments given by The Shoe and Leather Reporter for October are 23 per cent less than last year.

### Timely Editorials.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—The Chronicle says: We think that thus menaced by Russia, Japan will refuse to evacuate Port Arthur. It is not inconceivable that if Russia attempts such a step England and Japan will form an offensive and defensive alliance. If Lord Salisbury will only be able to make up his mind what to do, and how to do, he has a chance to gain credit for himself. The Standard considers that The Times' Hong Kong dispatch, reporting important concession to Russia by China, is ballon d'essai on Russia's part. Even if the mandarins sanctioned such a treaty, The Standard continues, it would only be with the comforting assurance that they would face the opposition of Japan and the powers. The covenant would be mere waste paper.

### She's a Big One.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—The battleship Massachusetts, now building at Cramps' yards, has been ordered to go into dock at League Island to be cleaned and painted, preparatory to her completion. There is no dock in the country which will be able to accommodate the vessel when fully equipped.

### Gilbert is Champion.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 26.—Fred Gilbert of Spirit Lake, Ia., won the Dupont cup, the wing championship of the world and a fat purse in the pigeon shooting tournament here. It is said that Gilbert never entered a tournament before in his life, but he shot like a veteran.

### About Liao-Tung.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—The foreign office declares that it has no confirmation of the news reported in the Hong Kong dispatch to The Times to the effect that Russia has obtained the right to anchor her fleet at Port Arthur and to construct railroads on the Liao-Tung peninsula.

### Johnson's Challenge.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—A challenge was yesterday cabled to J. Michael, the Welsh champion bicyclist, in behalf of John S. Johnson, for three match races for a purse of $1000 a side and the professional championship of the world, the contest to come off in this country.

### Above the Average.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—The imports of dry goods at New York for the week were $2,305,360, and the amount marketed $2,270,839. For the same week of 1894 the imports were $1,509,495, and the amount marketed $1,617,116.

### Paris Green After Quarrel.

MONTREAL, Oct. 26.—Rosie Bertrand, a milliner, who came here from Lowell, Mass., nine months ago, yesterday ate an ounce of paris green. She cannot recover. The cause of the deed was a quarrel with her lover.

### Universalists' Doings.

MERIDEN, Conn., Oct. 26.—At the closing session of the Universalist convention, the convention was enlarged to include the president, vice president and secretaries of the state conventions and all ordained clergymen in fellowship and also one delegate from each parish. The next convention will be held at Chicago in 1897. A resolution favoring union with the Unitarians was defeated. Resolutions favoring true reform, national purity, peace and the suppression of the liquor traffic were passed.

### Went Overboard.

BOSTON, Oct. 26.—Steamer Fairfax, from Baltimore, reports that a passenger, W. W. Wehrhane, of Baltimore, representing himself to be an employe of the Fidelity Loan and Trust company of that city, is missing. Yesterday morning he did not appear at breakfast. A thorough search for the missing man was made through the ship, but no trace of him could be found. Captain March came to the conclusion that either some accident had occurred or that he had committed suicide.

### Instantly Killed.

LEOMINSTER, Mass., Oct. 26.—Samuel Wolf was run over by a passenger train here yesterday and instantly killed. A freight train had just passed, and Wolf did not see the passenger train approaching.

### His Head Severed.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Oct. 26.—George B. Smith of Derby was instantly killed last night by stepping in front of an express train, his head being completely severed from his body.

### To Get All the Points.

BRISTOL, R. I., Oct. 26.—The Herreshoffs are building a trial racer for experimental purposes. The boat is 25 feet over all, and is modeled much like the Defender.

### New Wheeling Records

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 26.—The class B, flying start, two-thirds of a mile, and the professional tandem one mile, flying paced, records were broken here yesterday. Coulter rode the former in 1m. 9 2-5s., against Johnson's 1m. 11 4-5s., and Crooks and Weinig rode the other, lowering the record of 1m. 51 4-5s. to 1m. 50s.

### Rioting at Porto Rico.

MADRID, Oct. 26.—Advices from Porto Rico say that serious rioting has occurred there, the peasantry, armed with knives, having attacked the police. The disturbance was finally quelled, and a number of the rioters were arrested.

### But One Absentee.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—The cabinet had its regular fortnightly meeting at the White House yesterday. The president and all the members of the cabinet except Secretary Smith were present.

## A TERRIBLE NIGHT.

On the outskirts of Hollerton, a large northern town of some importance as a manufacturing center, there stood a few years ago a house of considerable size which was commonly said to be haunted.

The last tenant and owner was Squire Dudley, to whom also belonged many broad acres in the district. At the age of 49 he married a girl of 17. Incompatibility of temper, it was said, led to frequent misunderstandings and quarrelings, and angry voices and sometimes screams were heard proceeding from the dwelling. Two sons were born to the couple. The elder, soon after attaining his majority, went abroad to seek his fortune. Disagreements with his father and an inclination for a roaming life led to his decision. The younger turned out a good for nothing scapegrace.

Having made serious inroads into his father's resources and having rendered himself liable to penal servitude by embezzlement and forgery, he fled the neighborhood and country. Then everything in that household went swiftly to rack and ruin, and one winter, about Christmas time, Squire Dudley and his wife mysteriously disappeared. After a brief interval the creditors took possession, stripped the house of its contents, leaving only a little lumber, and from that day to the time of which I write rats, spiders and reputed ghosts were its only occupants. According to common report, no human foot crossed its threshold for at least ten years.

The gossip of the neighborhood teemed with accounts of the awful sounds that had been heard issuing from the building. Groans, shrieks and piteous wails unlike any that had ever come from human lips broke upon the midnight darkness. The bell, which seemed to sob and moan, had scared many a traveler into rapid flight.

Such was the story narrated to a little convivial party, in which I was included, seated around the smoking room fire of the Crown hotel, Hollerton, on Dec. 23, 18—. The party consisted of two London commercials, both of them friends of mine; a rich grocer, who related the story; the leading denyer of the town and myself—Tom Smith.

The grocer thoroughly believed in the "spiritual manifestations," as he termed the doing of the ghost. The other men were slightly skeptical. As for myself, I utterly and emphatically poohpoohed everything attributed to the ghost.

"Well," said the grocer, with warmth, "I wouldn't spend a neght in that lawsome place for a thousand pun!"

He had been decidedly nettled at the ridicule I had thrown on the absurd alarms of the people and now leaned forward in my direction, and, with his hands firmly grasping his knees, said: "Noo, Meister Smith, and what 'a' you got to say? What's your figure, coom noo?"

"I am prepared," I answered, much to the grocer's consternation, "to spend tomorrow night—Christmas eve—in that house alone, on condition that you and the other gentlemen guarantee that the sum of £100 be paid me on Christmas day."

It is needless to detail the discussion that ensued. At last a document was drawn up and signed by all present to the effect that I was to receive the sum named on carrying out my part of the agreement. I bargained for a chair, bedstead, bedding and blankets, a parcel of sandwiches and a flask of whisky.

I arranged the bedstead in the corner of my chamber, and, with the aid of the piece of skirting board and two heaps of plaster, made a rough stand on which to place the candlestick.

I wet my lips with the contents of the flask, made myself comfortable on the bed, and took from my pocket the best tonic I know for low spirits—"Pickwick."

After two or three hours' reading I felt drowsy, ate a sandwich, resorted to the flask and went off into a troubled slumber.

I awoke in a fright. A moaning and wailing greeted my ears. It came during a lull in the wind and sent a tremor through my blood.

A stray rat scudded across the floor and disappeared down some convenient hole. I hoped devoutly he was not a scout sent from headquarters to reconnoiter.

Like a timid schoolgirl I pulled the blankets over my head and tried to woo repose.

The wind increased to a fitful gale. It came in sudden, terrific blasts, lashing the back of the house, shaking the foundation, hissing and groaning through gaping holes and a thousand crevices. Once or twice the house seemed to rock, and plaster fell to the floor with a thud. I began to fear that the whole crazy fabric would collapse, and I would be buried in the ruins. Yet I felt I dare not leave that room, even to save my life.

I looked at my watch. It was nearly 11. Just as I took up my "Pickwick" again the bell rang out three sonorous, dismal strokes. Each stroke seemed a groan of anguish. Was this my death knell? Was something awful about to happen to me?

Again that weird, muffled, unearthly wailing. Was there actually some lost, wandering spirit escaped from purgatory inhabiting the house? I listened for many minutes, and then above the howling wind a sound reverberated through the house which I shall never forget. It was like the piteous expiring cry of some poor soul in direst agony. It was no blast of wind or knell from the bell above nor gibberings and mutterings of ghosts and goblins. It was human.

My blood ran cold. My teeth chattered. I trembled from head to foot. A presentiment of an approaching encounter with a creature of appalling aspect unnerved me.

It was now 2 o'clock. Six hours more of this horrible suspense!

There was a noise of footsteps overhead, followed by an outcry like a dog baying at the moon. The wind at intervals still lashed against the house, and at every gust I thought my end had come.

I lay down and wrapped myself in the blankets, hoping to dispel the shivering sensation that ran through me.

A prolonged wail and loud sobs.

I must make an effort to search the house and find from whom these noises came.

Merciful powers! I could not move. I was losing the use of my limbs. I fell into a semiunconscious state. It was not sleep. It was more like a fearful nightmare without sleep. All strength forsook me. I felt utterly powerless, paralyzed in every limb. The sense of hearing vanished. My eyes were closed against my will. I could not open them. All that I was conscious of was a sensation of the utmost terror. I thought I was dying or passing into another state or another world. Presently I felt something touching my neck like cold, icy fingers or cold steel. Then before my closed eyes there seemed to be a glowing light. I tried to speak, but my tongue clave to my mouth. Again those icy fingers at my neck.

My coat and linen about my neck were being unfastened. I suddenly emerged from my torpid condition, saw the candle falling to the floor and the figure of a gaunt, withered creature leaving the room.

The figure was clothed, as it seemed, in a tattered gray garment, and over her shoulders long white hair streamed. It was but a momentary glance I had, for the candle was extinguished as it touched the floor.

I sprang to my feet. The bell rang thrice again. Then all was silent, save for the wind. I groped about for the matches, but could not find them. I raised my hand to my neck, expecting to find trickling blood, but there were no signs of any wound. At that moment I heard a low, plaintive voice on the landing, "That wound, that scar, it is there!" I felt again at my neck, but with the same result as before. I groped about frantically for the matches, but in vain.

After a few minutes the voice spoke a second time on the landing, or on the stairs. It muttered two words, repeated thrice at intervals: "The resurrection! The resurrection! The resurrection!"

The words rose and fell with a mournful cadence mingled with terror and helplessness and gradually died away as the speaker withdrew to a distance.

I crept softly to the landing. It was in pitch darkness. I dared not move either to the upper or lower rooms without a light to guide me.

I returned to my chamber, sat on the side of the bed, and listened for further sounds. Surely, I thought, I was strong enough to cope with the apparition, however murderous its intentions might be. Why should I succumb to cowardice?

I heard the boards creak in the room above me, then low mutterings, as if coming from two or three voices—next, a steady footstep pacing to and fro, ceasing for a moment, and renewed on the stairs. Nearer and nearer the footsteps advanced. Horror! That torpid sensation was stealthily creeping over me again, which I felt powerless to resist! There was a glimmer of light through the half open door and the footsteps abruptly stopped. A loud though tremulous voice pealed and echoed through the house, "Richard, Richard, Richard Dudley!"

The voice recalled my ebbing senses. A thousand thoughts surged in my brain. Was I really a human being, or had I passed into a transition state bordering on the world of spirits?

Again the voice, "Richard, Richard, Richard Dudley!"

I started to my feet and made my way to the landing, and there, at the foot of the stairs, stood the woman clad in gray, a candle held aloft in one hand and a framed portrait of a youth in the other. I gazed in speechless, awestruck amazement, for I beheld in that ashen, withered face—my own mother!

I was indeed Richard Dudley, the elder son of the squire.

The meeting was indeed like a resurrection to both of us. I prefer to draw a veil over much that passed between us from the moment of recognition to the time my friends returned. My mother led the way to a small attic chamber lighted by a window in the roof. Out of boxes and other lumber left behind by the creditors she had contrived to form a table and a rough bedstead. And here, secreted from all the world, she had lived in solitude, as I afterward learned, for seven or eight years.

It was many days before I could obtain a coherent outline of her sad history. She had gone to the south with my father, both of them broken down in health and fortune. When every avenue for finding a means of livelihood seemed shut out, my father destroyed himself.

Then my mother, friendless, distracted with grief and her mental faculties undermined, conceived a longing to return to the old house and die there. At length, unknown to any one, she managed to find her way down to the Grange and settled down in that attic chamber.

About once a month on a Saturday night my mother was in the habit of going, thickly veiled, to Hollerton to procure provisions. Her mode of egress was down a narrow staircase outside the attic leading to the stable yard, and which must have been constructed after my departure from home. Avoiding the main road and never entering into conversation with any one, she contrived to preserve her place of retreat a profound secret. To evade observation she had always prepared her food during the night, sleeping in the daytime, so that the smoking chimney might not betray her presence. The fuel she used was woodwork broken away from the house itself.

My mother suffered from aberrations and delusions, and after nightfall she usually gave vent to her inconsolable grief at the loss of her husband, children and worldly goods in piteous cries and lamentations. When she awoke from her slumbers that Christmas eve, she suspected some one had intruded into the house. After a search she discovered me in the very room where I was born.—Westminster Budget.


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## FOURTH AND FIFTH WARD POLITICS.

A year ago the Democrats of the Fourth ward nominated Daniel E. Doherty for third councilman. Mr. Doherty was then secretary of the Democratic city committee. He had been warden in the Fifth ward, and for some years was prominent in the work of his party. He was besides a bright, conservative young man, who gave promise of making a good councilman. Unfortunately he was also president of the Father Mathew Total Abstinence Society, and two other members of the society were candidates for the council from the Fifth ward, and as sure as anything is sure in this mundane sphere of being elected. Previous to this the City Council had passed an ordinance, proposed by Chief of Police Read, restricting the hours during which licensed liquor places should be kept open. This seriously affected the revenues of the liquor dealers in the ward, many of whom depend upon the summer trade, much of which comes in at very late (or early) hours, and the dealers were naturally anxious to have it changed. Mr. Doherty was supposed to be in accord with the other total abstinence men, in favoring the ordinance as it now stands, because it is supposed to be in the interest of temperance. It was useless to attempt to defeat Messrs. Vaughan and Sullivan in the Fifth ward, so they concentrated their efforts on the Fourth. The Republicans lent their best assistance, and though the alderman and the first two councilmen were Democratic by small majorities, Mr. Doherty was beaten by 58 votes. Since then the temperance men in the ward have not taken an active interest in Democratic politics, and went to the ward only to vote. It is evident from the returns of this week's election that they too can support Republican candidates for the council, for though Mayor Hoyle had a majority of 130 in the ward but one Democrat squeezed through on the council ticket.

The contest of last year, owing to a squabble between the friends of the two temperance men in the Fifth which enabled a representative of the liquor men to secure the nomination for first councilman, was this year fought over in the Fifth. Councilman Vaughan had the advantage of being well known, and had also such support as the Republicans could give him, and the temperance candidate won over the regular nominee. The Father Mathew Society members say that they took no part in the election and made no deals. This is undoubtedly correct, so far as the society goes. It is, however, just as obvious that individually they did what any other class of men would do, looked after what they believed to be their own interests at the polls.

While the Fourth and Fifth wards were voting against the representatives of the liquor interest, the Republicans in the upper wards were replacing men who supported the present law by candidates known to favor its repeal.

## THE MEADOWBROOK HUNT CLUB-HOUSE ROBBED.

Detectives are trying to locate the thieves who robbed the Meadowbrook Hunt Club's house near Hempstead, Long Island, during the golf match between Messrs. Sands and Rutherford last Saturday. It is asserted that the thieves stole jewelry valued at from $5,000 to $7,000, in addition to the $1,000 which had been posted as a part of the stakes in the golf match, and that they took a diamond pin valued at $2,000 belonging to Miss Consuelo Vanderbilt.

It is now thought that the robbery took place during the cross-country run which followed the first half of the contest. Shortly after the hunt started, it is said, two men, attired in fashionable English riding outfits, arrived on the grounds. They appeared much disappointed on learning that the hunt had left, and, it is said, discussed the advisability of obtaining mounts and starting in pursuit. They finally decided that the best thing they could do would be to change their clothing and go back to the city. It is said they presented cards and asked to be shown to the gentlemen's dressing rooms at once, and the servants complied with the request. The gentlemen's rooms were deserted and afforded a clear field for the operations of thieves.

It appears that Mr. Rutherford was the greatest loser. In his room he had a small satchel which contained several family heirlooms aggregating in value $4,200. These were of diamonds and rubies. He also lost his gold watch and chain, two diamond finger rings, gold cuff buttons and $1,000 in cash—his stake in the golf game. Valuables were also lost by members of the Westchester Hunt Club, the Thermopoly County Hunt Club and the Richmond County Hunt Club, but to what amount could not be learned. Other members of the Meadowbrook club were among the victims.

## DEATH OF MRS. ARENDT ANGSTROM.

News was received this morning of the death in Toronto of Mrs. Arendt Angstrom, daughter of Mr. George Lawton of this city. Mrs. Angstrom will be remembered by many in this city as Miss Hattie Lawton, whose bright and happy ways won her friends wherever she went. She was married about ten years ago to Mr. Arendt Angstrom, and removed soon after to Cleveland, Ohio, and within three years went to Toronto, where they have since made their home. A few days ago friends from Newport visited Toronto and calling upon Mr. and Mrs. Angstrom found both of them and one child ill with typhoid fever. The news was brought to Mrs. Angstrom's father here, and a day or two later a telegram was received announcing that Mrs. Angstrom's illness had assumed a more serious phase, and Thursday Mr. Harry H. Lawton, on his return from his wedding trip, started for Toronto and was with his sister at the time of her death. The illness of Mr. Angstrom and his child is not serious. Mrs. Angstrom leaves four small children. Her death is a severe blow to her father and her many friends in Newport.

## LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Mr. Richard J. Arnold of Providence is in town.

—Mrs. Wallach and daughter of New York are at the Riggs cottage.

—The Cushing, with Commander Converse, went up to Bristol today.

—It is understood that Mr. and Mrs. Harper Pennington will remain here all winter.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burnham of Boston are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Prescott Lawrence.

—Supply steamer Fern sailed this morning, with all the fishing craft and coasters in the harbor.

—Superintendent Lee of the street railway has returned from his visit to the Montreal convention.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Gilmartin, who have been here on their bridal trip, returned to New York last night.

—Mrs. Moore has joined her husband, Lieutenant Commander W. I. Moore, U. S. N., at the Perry House.

—The advance agent for the "Hi Henry Minstrels," which will appear here November 1, was in town today.

—Mr. George W. Swinburne, who has been ill with typhoid fever since the first of August, is slowly but steadily improving.

—Mrs. Arthur W. Blake, H. H. Richardson, Miss Richardson and Mrs. G. F. Shepley of Brookline, Mr. James Taussig of St. Louis and Mrs. Francis B. Rice of Boston are at The Robinson.

—Yesterday Chief Brierly and Captain Richardson of the Pawtucket fire department were in town, to inspect the Newport department. They were shown about by Chief Lake and Councilman Tanner.

—The festival of the Church Choir Guild, which was arranged to be held at St. John's Church Thursday evening, October 31, has been postponed and will be held probably Tuesday evening, November 5.

—The work of installing the torpedo plant on the Lancaster was not finished today in time for the ship to try her torpedoes. The work done at the Brooklyn navy yard had to be gone over again by the workmen at the Station.

—Last night the Plymouth Social Club gave a well attended social in Odd Fellows' hall. The duties of floor manager were filled by C. E. Sullivan, his aids being J. F. Donovan, C. J. Beattie and J. F. Martin. The Naval Station orchestra furnished music and P. J. Sullivan prompted.

—Rev. M. S. Howes will occupy his pulpit at the Second Baptist Church tomorrow, after a two weeks' vacation, which has been spent in Baltimore, New York and Washington. Mrs. Howes, who accompanied him, was a delegate to the purity congress and the meeting of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union, in Baltimore.

—Those interested in politics are now counting noses to ascertain whether Chief of Police Read and Street Commissioner Cotton are to be defeated for re-election as a result of the voting Wednesday. The question is decided both ways, according to whether the counter favors or opposes the present officials. There appear to be more candidates for Captain Cotton's place than for a desk at the Police Station, and so more say he will go than talk that way of Chief Read.

## TROUBLE IN THE NAVAL RESERVES AGAIN.

There appears to be trouble in the Naval Reserve Torpedo Company, somewhat similar to that which the company survived three years ago, when the present officers were elected. It is the same trouble—men in the company wanting offices and seeing no way to obtain them except by forcing Lieutenant Willoughby out. They have carried their work so far this year that Mr. Willoughby has been told by some of the company that he ought to resign, and he has replied that if there is any desire for such action in the company he certainly will resign and allow the members to choose the commander they wish. It is a question, however, whether the sober second thought of the men in the organization who have no axes to grind will not change things and retain the present commanding officer. He is objected to chiefly because he is absent at the South during the winter, when the armory drills are on, and in consequence cannot give his personal attention to the company. So far as can be learned, the company has not suffered as a result of this.

Should Lieutenant Willoughby resign, the company would be obliged to look outside for a new head, as no one in the ranks is fitted for the place. Should the malcontents secure a new commander they might find that he would run the company with a harder hand than has heretofore been felt, and when it came down to a contest the growlers might find themselves overboard, with the company sailing merrily along without them. The re-construction of Company B shows what can be done by a commanding officer in making a company understand what are the officers' and what the privates' duties, and that it is much easier to find privates than officers. There are plenty of able-bodied young men ready to enter the company and carry on the work, without making trouble for everybody in it.


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"The Adieu" ..... Schubert
Grand Fantasie, "Albion" ..... Buennes
Quintette, "The Image of the Rose" ..... Reichardt
March, "Hartford Post" ..... Seltzer
National Anthem ..... Key

Mr. H. A. Hall, the new bandmaster of the Fort Adams band, was formerly conductor of the famous Hall's concert band and for many years previous a member of P. S. Gilmore's band. He is a saxophone soloist of high repute, and under his management the band at Fort Adams has improved greatly since he assumed the leadership.

## OBJECT TO THE USE OF THE ENGINE ROOM.

The engine room in hose house No. 6 is the only one now used for holding caucuses and elections, and the firemen of that company feel that they are not treated as well as the companies up town. A small part of the cost of the handsome new house for company No. 5 would have built a wardroom for the Fifth ward and provided a house for the reel now kept on Coggeshall avenue. The use of the engine room for holding caucuses is dangerous for the attendants, for, in case of an alarm, some one would probably be injured by the horse. It is a nuisance for the driver to move out every election day before daylight, and back the next morning, especially when no other driver in town has to do so.

## A CARD FROM MR. GARRETTSON.

To the Editor of the Daily News:

Sir: About four or five days ago, while in my New York office, I discovered through your columns that my name was presented for the school committee under a Democratic nomination. Now I believe it to be the duty of every good citizen to take interest in the welfare of his city, but I think it entirely out of place and a great liberty to use one's name without first consulting his wishes, and an absolute lack of courtesy after nominating him not to notify him, either in person or by communication of some sort.

If I had been notified of my nomination I should have refused the same as a matter of duty and conscience. My affairs are such that during the most important part of the scholastic year I am obliged to be five months in New York, and it would therefore have been impossible for me to serve. As a matter of conscience I could not have accepted a Democratic nomination any more than a Republican nomination, inasmuch as in municipal affairs I believe most sincerely that men should be nominated strictly for their individual capacity and worth, and not because they happen to belong to the two great national parties. In national affairs I am a Democrat. In municipal affairs I have voted and always will vote for the man who may be white or black, Catholic or Protestant, who will earnestly and conscientiously do his duty, unbiassed by anything but the welfare of this community. F. P. GARRETTSON.

## PORTSMOUTH.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

Morning service at St. Paul's Church will begin hereafter at 10:30 o'clock, the Sunday school at 1:45, and the evening service at 2:30. The rector, Rev. J. Sturgis Pearce, will preach tomorrow afternoon on "The Holy Catholic Church—The Communion of Saints."

Mrs. Frederick Anthony and her two daughters, Katherine and Maraquita, of Jamestown, have been guests of Mrs. John E. Manchester, Mrs. Anthony's sister, during the last fortnight.

Mr. Edward R. Anthony has had six new hen houses built and is to have six more; when they are completed he will own eighteen. Mr. William H. Butler is having a house built, 10x20, and is to have two more, half that size.

The Ladies' Benevolent Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church met with Mrs. Perry G. Randall Thursday.

Miss Emma Butler of Hillsgrove is guest of Mrs. Charles E. Chase.

Mr. William Wyatt of Middletown is driving the baker's cart for Mr. George Wyatt.

Mr. Alonzo Levenseller, who has been very sick for more than a month, is somewhat improved.

Mr. Joseph Cross and family have removed from the house occupied by them on the William H. Faulkner estate, and will spend the winter with Mrs. Cross's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Chace.

Mrs. Christopher Peckham and Mr. and Mrs. Restcom Peckham were in Portsmouth yesterday.


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## POLICE NOTES.

Two insane men were committed to the state institutions today.

Barney McNoll and John Cooper, sailors, were before the court this morning, the former for assault and the latter for drunkenness, and each was fined $9 and costs.

Officers Conroy and Northup have returned from leave, and Officer Dewick is on his annual vacation.

## MIDDLETOWN.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

Mr. Elmer Coggeshall of Portsmouth was married to Miss Emma Starratt of Middletown by Rev. H. W. McCrone of the Christian Church in Portsmouth Thursday, only a few intimate friends being present. Mr. and Mrs. Coggeshall took the 3 o'clock train from Newport for Worcester, where they will visit for a few days, and return to Portsmouth, where they will reside with the groom's parents for the present.

Mrs. Philip Stevens was in town yesterday.

The winter sessions of the Paradise Reading Club will begin next Tuesday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. W. C. Peckham.

AUCTION SALES.

## Mortgagee's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage deed made by Hiram Murray (with Abigail Murray in release of dower) to the Savings Bank of Newport, dated February 19, 1879, and recorded in Volume 14, page 394 and 395, of the Mortgages Law Evidence of the city of Newport in the state of Rhode Island:

Said Savings Bank of Newport will sell at public auction, on Spring street in front of the premises hereinafter described, on **Monday, November 18, 1895,** at 12 o'clock noon, (the condition of said Mortgage having been broken) that parcel of land in said Newport, with dwelling house, barn and all other improvements thereon standing, and the appurtenances thereof, bounded, Easterly on Spring street 58 feet, Southerly on Cannon street 115 feet, Westerly on land formerly of Nathan Hammett deceased, and Northerly on land of the heirs of the late Samuel Lawton and on land formerly of Christopher J. Bliven, and being the same premises conveyed by said mortgage, which is hereby made part hereof.

And said Savings Bank hereby gives notice that it intends to bid for said property at said sale thereof.

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Newport, Oct. 24th, 1895.

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Said Savings Bank of Newport will sell at public Auction on State street in front of the premises hereinafter described, on **Tuesday, November 19, 1895,** at 12 o'clock noon, (the condition of said Mortgage having been broken) that parcel of land in said Newport, with the buildings and improvements thereon, and the appurtenances thereof. Bounded, Southerly on land of the heirs or devisees of William S. Vose 2 feet, Westerly on land formerly of Charles Russell 77 feet, Northerly on State street 31 feet, and Easterly on land of the heirs or devisees of Perry Sherman eighty feet and six inches, be said measurements more or less, said premises being the same conveyed by said Mortgage, which is hereby made part hereof. And said Savings Bank hereby gives notice that it intends to bid for said property at said sale thereof.

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NEW BOOKS.

# A BID FOR FORTUNE,

BY GUY BOOTHBY.

**Out of India,** by Rudyard Kipling.
**Fate at the Door,** by Jessie Van Zile Belden.
**The Crooked Stick,** by Rolf Boldrewood.
**The Carved Lions,** by Mrs. Molesworth.
**Patritia,** by Mme. St. Felix.
**Elsie's Journey,** by Martha Finley.

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# MR. RABBIT AT HOME,

A Sequel to Little Mr. Thimblefinger, by Joel Chandler Harris. Illustrated by Oliver Hereford.
**Frowzle, the Runaway,** by Lillie F. Wesselhoeft.
**The Lottery Ticket,** by J. T. Trowbridge.
**Half Round the World,** by Oliver Optic. Third Series of All-Over-the-World Library.
**Broken Notes from a Gray Nunnery,** by Julia Sterling Hallock.
**Aunt Hilly and Other Sketches,** by Alyn Yates Keith.
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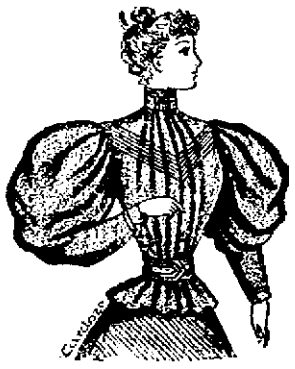

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